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Tons of British Bombs Fall On Nazi Military Centres

R.A.F. Gives Most Impressive Show Of Striking Power Since War Began

London, Aug. 11.

IN the most impressive display of its striking power since the start of the war, the Royal Air Force in the last 24 hours has dropped tons of high-explosive and incendiary bombs on military objectives in widespread areas of Germany and German-occupied territory.

Guernsey aerodrome, oil tanks at Flushing, a German seaplane base at Brest, munition factories at Ludwigshaven and Cologne, railway communications in the Ruhr, Schipol (the airport of Amsterdam), and aerodromes in Germany, Holland and Belgium, were among the targets successfully bombed.

Describing an attack made yesterday afternoon on the aerodrome at Guernsey, which was formerly used by holiday-makers visiting the island, but is now occupied by Nazi aircraft, the news service of the Air Ministry says the pilot of a medium bomber, prevented from reaching his main objective in France, visited the island in search of an alternative target and counted between 40 and 50 fighters, bombers and transport 'planes on the ground. He released several bombs and saw one fall directly on a large transport machine, while others are believed to have struck nearby hangars.

The pilot then flew low and machine-gunned gun posts round the airport.

Mass Attack Launched

Subsequently the airfield was subjected to a mass attack, when British planes swept down in three waves at short intervals and dropped heavy and incendiary bombs, damaging the landing ground and starting fires.

In a few minutes, there was white smoke over the ground, while a thin column of black smoke rose a thousand feet.

Pilots could see Nazi aircraft parked near hangars and redoubled their attacks. When they left, the ground was studded with leaping red flames.

Other aircraft of the Coastal Command bombed and fired Nazi oil tanks at Flushing. They pressed home the attack in face of searchlights and heavy anti-aircraft fire. Many bombs fell amid tanks, which were clearly visible in the moonlight.

One pilot was caught in a searchlight as he took his final aim and dropped bombs, but as he flew away he saw that he had started many fires on the target.

The gunner of another aircraft looked back after his machine made the target, and let go a salvo. He saw a big explosion and flames as the bombs scored a direct hit.

Seaplane Base Raided

A raid on the German seaplane base near Brest was made by a medium bomber from the same squadron, who took the defences completely by surprise and dropped bombs among a dozen medium-sized flyingboats and a group of large hangars. Smoke was pouring from jetties and hangars as the raider left.

On Friday night, British heavy bombers made munition factories at Ludwigshaven and Cologne their main objectives. Sustained attacks were made by strong forces of aircraft which, after inflicting heavy damage, left the factories in flames.

Nearly 15 tons of high-explosive and incendiary bombs were dropped on a factory in Cologne in the course of a series of raids which began at 10.45 p.m., and continued until shortly after midnight. Within a quarter of an hour of the first attack, the target was ablaze, and following aircraft had no difficulty in locating the objectives and adding to the damage.

One raider, straddling the munition works with a line of heavy calibre bombs, started an intense white fire which ended in a heavy explosion.

Another violent explosion, continues the Air Ministry, was seen to break out on the eastern edge of the target, while other crews reported that bomb bursts were followed by brilliant explosions.

German Fighter Driven Off

A German fighter which tried to intercept one of the British aircraft in the target area is said to have been driven off by the rear-gunner of the bomber.

A factory at Lundwigshaven, near Mannheim, was systematically bombed for nearly half an hour by relays of aircraft. Here, too, fires started by the first attackers guided following aircraft to the scene. Salvoes of bombs were repeatedly seen to fall across the targets, and at one

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U.S. Service Paper Sees Nazi Failure

Army and Navy Journal Believes "Blitzkrieg" on Britain Will Fail

Washington, Aug. 11.

The concensus of American naval experts is that any attempted invasion of the British Isles "will fail because of the inherent difficulties of landing against a well organized resistance ashore," the "Army and Navy Journal" said in an editorial yesterday.

Other naval experts, however, feel that "another great surprise is possible, through Chancellor Adolf Hitler's use of new weapons and methods," the "Journal" said.

Britain's removal of hastily built obstructions indicates that the British Army is confident of its ability to meet the invaders wherever they strike, the "Journal" said.—United Press.

Home Guard Inspected By His Majesty

Biggest Citizen Military Parade Yet Held Staged

London, Aug. 11.

The King yesterday afternoon inspected some 4,000 members of the Home Guard. This was the biggest parade of this citizen military force yet held. All but about 100 were in uniform, and His Majesty commented on their smart appearance to General Sir Bertram Sergison-Brooke, who is G.O.C. of London area.

Many of the men are veterans of the last war, but under their regular army instructors displayed the agility of much younger men.

His Majesty, who was also accompanied by Brigadier Whitehead, commanding the Home Guard in the London area, had a long conversation with the corps commander about the different types of rifle the Guard was armed with at present.

Amongst those members of the Home Guard presented to the King was General Sir Hubert Gough, who commanded the Fifth Army in the last war.—Reuter.

Hess Warns Empire "Must Crumble"

Remarkable Claims Made By Deputy Fuehrer

Berlin, Aug. 11.

A warning to Britain of what Germany is preparing was uttered by Herr Rudolf Hess, Deputy Fuehrer, in a speech at Vienna yesterday, according to the German News Agency.

Now was the time, he said, to make a clean sweep and break Britain's power until the whole Empire crumbled.

Britain, he added, was having every day a slight foretaste of what was awaiting her.

Herr Hess claimed that the number of German submarines and aeroplanes was increasing, while Britain's shipping space was decreasing and "Britain's armament works are disappearing in ruins and ashes."—Reuter.

Yugoslavian Freighter Reported Sunk

Belgrade, Aug. 11.

The Yugoslavian freighter Rad, 7,600 tons, was sunk by a German U-boat five days out of Baltimore en route to Yugoslavia, it was learned here yesterday. The ship was carrying metal ore. The crew was saved, it was reported.—United Press.

Italian Army Said Attacked By Albanians

Clash Reported Near Yugoslav Border

London, Aug. 11.

Italian troops clashed with Albanian forces near the Yugoslav border Saturday, the British Broadcasting Corporation reported here today.

Over 100 Italian casualties resulted from a revolt which started when the Italians attempted to mobilize the Albanians, B.B.C. said.—United Press.

Korindil Occupied

Nairobi, Aug. 11.

The occupation of Korindil by British ground forces after slight opposition is claimed in the latest communique issued here.

"Our forces," the communique adds, "suffered no casualties."

It is further claimed that British bombers carried out a successful raid on Neghelli yesterday, when two Capronis were destroyed and two others damaged.

In addition, one machine-gun post was destroyed and a mechanical transport convoy, carrying petrol and stores, was set on fire.

Hangars and buildings on the Neghelli aerodrome, the communique adds, were also damaged by direct hits.—Reuter.

Italians Said Advancing

London, Aug. 11.

Referring to activities in British Somaliland, an Italian war communique given over the Rome wireless says Italian forces occupied the mountain passes of Carrin and Godajere.

The Italian advance is in full progress, the statement adds. It claims Italian bombers attacked an air field at Erkowit in the Sudan, scoring direct hits on 15 grounded 'planes and repulsing without loss British fighters which attempted to intercept them.—Reuter.

Britons Rush to Buy Aircraft

Numerous Campaigns Said Inspired by Magnificent Achievements of R.A.F.

London, Aug. 11.

Inspired by the magnificent achievements of the Royal Air Force, all Britons appear to be buying aeroplanes for presentation to the Government.

Following the donation of £100,000 by Mr. Garfield Weston, M.P. for Macclesfield, for the building of 16 Hurricanes and Spitfires, an appeal has been made to mothers of airmen to contribute to a fund to provide for Hurricane 'planes.

This appeal was made by Mrs. V. F. Gower, whose son, serving with a Hurricane squadron, is missing.

A man named Ralli, of Frimley Park, Surrey, who saw a raider aimlessly dropping bombs, has sent Lord Beaverbrook, Minister for Aircraft Production, £5,000 for Spitfires.

Towns everywhere have started funds to buy aeroplanes. Hendon last night started a £20,000 fund for four Hurricanes.

Lord Beaverbrook himself has sent £100 to the news agents' Spitfire fund, which aims at raising at least one complete squadron.—Reuter.

British Note Said Awaited by Russia

Moscow Expects Statement On Baltic Actions

London, Aug. 10.

Soviet diplomatic quarters here indicated today that they expect the British Government to send a Note to the Soviet Government shortly, setting forth the British attitude toward the incorporation of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania in the U.S.S.R.

Chief questions which Moscow wishes to see settled are those of the Baltic credits "frozen" in Britain, of the Baltic nations' ships which were seized by the British and which Moscow claims are now Soviet, and the question of formal recognition of the incorporation measures.

The last-named question presents tricky knots of diplomacy for the British to unravel, it was stated here.

Observers pointed out today that while the Estonia, Latvian and Lithuanian Ministers in London received orders to hand over their functions to the Soviet Ambassador, none of them has obeyed the order. Instead, all three have protested against the union of their countries with Russia.

Soviet diplomatic circles said they awaited with interest the final British decision on the various points that still need settlement.

The problem is many-sided for Britain, one of the chief aspects being Britain's desire to ease relations with Soviet Russia.

An official communication may be expected to be sent to Moscow in the course of the coming week, it was stated.—Havas.

Ninety Japanese Planes Again Raid Chungking, do Little Damage

Fires Started in Afternoon Attack Quickly Controlled; Landing Party Attacks Haimen

Chungking, Aug. 11.

Ninety Japanese aeroplanes in three flights again heavily bombed Chungking this afternoon, all appearing over the city at the same time. It is believed casualties were small, while property damage was negligible.

They released bombs in various parts of the city, including the western suburbs, the north bank of the Chialing River, the lower city and the vicinity of the Yangtze. It is believed some bombs also were dropped on the south bank of the Yangtze. Two fires were started. These were quickly brought under control. Anti-aircraft guns greeted the raiders with heavy fire and Chinese fighters engaged them. The planes first appeared at 2 p.m. The all-clear signal was given at 3.30.

The alarm was sounded here at noon when the raiders were sighted heading for the city. It was reported the second flight of 'planes dropped bombs on a town below Chungking while en route here.

After circling for some time in the outskirts the three flights of 90 'planes came over in mass formation, spread out in five lines with a single row of 27 in the lead.—Reuter.

Japanese Land at Haimen

Tokyo, Aug. 11.

A Japanese naval squadron yesterday morning attacked a Chinese garrison at Haimen, 12 miles south of Swatow, according to semi-official Japanese sources.

The attack was followed by a landing of a party of Japanese sailors.

The operation is said to have been undertaken in connection with the tightening of the blockade around the China coast.—Reuter.

Rhodesian Troops at Suez

The first batch of Rhodesian troops arrived at Suez recently. These sturdy fighters are now taking part in the defence of the Near East against the Italians.

Mr. Hoover Reported Asking Relief for Europeans

Britain Said Already Approached by Former U.S. President to Ascertain Views on Subject

London, Aug. 11.

THE former President of the United States, Mr. Herbert Hoover, has already approached British authorities with the suggestion that large scale food relief be given continental Europe by the United States this winter, reliable British quarters said here last night.

It was understood that Mr. Hoover recently sponsored inquiries in certain British quarters regarding the attitude the British Government would adopt in the event private United States interests undertook to attempt to feed needy continental populations if such humanitarian enterprises could be reconciled to the British blockade under a system of guarantees assuring that the food supplies would not reach Germany.

The known British view is that it would be almost impossible for an outside organization to undertake the distribution of supplies to the needy in German-occupied territories without risking a proportion of them falling into German hands.

Hitler's Promises

British circles emphasized that Chancellor Adolf Hitler has promised to bring prosperity and plenty to the German protected countries and now is an excellent time to prove his good intentions.

Meanwhile, a survey of the best informed British sources indicated that all recent predictions of a general famine in Europe in the coming winter, together with the assertion of the United States Ambassador to Brussels, Mr. John Cudahy, last week that 8,000,000 Belgians are facing the threat of starvation, are exaggerated.

Taking into consideration the known or calculated reserves at the outbreak of the war, together with the estimates of the current crop, experts have drawn a fairly detailed picture of the winter food situation which is substantially subscribed to by both the British and neutrals. This survey can be summarized as follows:

1. Europe generally will be compelled to fall back on reserve stocks to cope with the difficult problem of distribution and to assure the best use of available stocks.

2. In certain areas, notably Poland, Norway and Belgium, the food situation is likely to become "very difficult" about the beginning of the new year, particularly in the industrial areas. This will result in rationing and perhaps a certain amount of malnutrition.

3. United States relief would inevitably enhance Germany's capacity to wage war, since the British blockade is essentially a long range weapon whose effect can become increasingly noticeable as the war is prolonged, but which would not exert a telling effect, as far as food is concerned, before the latter half of 1941.

No Immediate Famine Seen

British experts cited a number of salient factors in the continental food situation during the coming winter to support the view that while the position is by no means normal, nevertheless it does not approach the serious general famine, such as the Russian famine at the end of the last war, which has been envisaged in some quarters.

Poland is the worst placed of all because of the fact that the German invasion occurred just as the crops were about to be harvested. The manner of the German occupation and the widespread dispersal of the population, coupled with the severe winter, probably will produce famine conditions in Poland.

Elsewhere, according to reliable information, the fighting attending the German invasion did not cause damage to crops as serious as might be supposed, because the advance was so swift. Moreover, fighting was confined largely to towns, roads, and bridgeheads, in contrast with the trench warfare of 1914.—United Press.

Nazi Censorship of Neutral Observers' Reports Bared

Correspondents "Disciplined" If Views Found Contrary to German Leaders' Statements

London, Aug. 11.

AN American who spent the first eight months of the war in Berlin engaged in broadcasting commentaries for a United States radio chain, described his experiences in the B.B.C. home service last night.

Mr. Warren Irving, who was one of four Americans working in Berlin as radio commentators for different United States systems, is on a visit to London, and he had some interesting things to say about the working of the German propaganda machine.

These American radio commentators, he explained, were in Berlin as neutral observers and, in all respects save one, our position was identical with that of foreign newspaper correspondents. The one was that while correspondents had no censorship, we were subject to three.

"It was not generally known that the Nazis were exercising censorship over us. We were supposed to soft-pedal that fact, because the Nazis wanted to give the impression abroad that Germany was a country where every correspondent was free to express his honest opinions. In reality, however, not even newspaper correspondents were entirely free—if they said anything to displease the Nazis the chances were when next they left the country on holiday they would be refused a visa to return.

Correspondent Disciplined

"And the Nazis had numerous other devices for bringing pressure to bear upon them. A hostile correspondent was almost certain to be disciplined. When his competitors were taken on trips to the front, he would be left behind, or worse still, he would learn to his dismay that important stories were being given to his competitors.

"The Nazis were for ever trying to plant false rumours on us, and if in our commentaries we dared to criticize the speech of some important Nazi official, they resorted to a favourite Nazi dodge—that was to leave all quotations from the speech intact but delete all criticisms. They would then withhold the script until a few minutes before speaking time, and return it to us just in time for us to go on the air.

"On such occasions, however, we usually refused to speak."

Commentators, Mr. Irving said, received most of their news at the daily press conference. The principal feeder was the Propaganda Ministry, but increasingly the German Foreign Office was insisting on taking a larger role.

Censorship Increased

"When I first arrived in Berlin soon after the start of the war, American radio commentators were subject to only two censorships—one by military authorities and the other by the Propaganda Ministry, but the Foreign Office decided it too should have something to say about censorship."

Mr. Irving expressed skepticism as to the authenticity of many Nazi feature programmes, including broadcasts from the front, which in their brutal and unashamed exultation of power and vivid representation of the mechanical and ruthless might in taking toll of flesh and blood, have impressed many outside listeners as bound to exercise a gravely demoralizing effect on the German public.

Mr. Irving said: "I always suspected that many of the Nazi propaganda programmes were faked. I had good reason to believe that some of the programmes, supposed to emanate from Hamburg, Stuttgart and other stations, were actually coming from Berlin, and I should not be surprised if this were also the case with some of the programmes that are supposed to be broadcast from the front, as the Nazis are past masters in the art of faking."—British Official Wireless.

British Seaplane Recrosses Ocean

London, Aug. 11.

The flying-boat Clare arrived at a south-west port from America yesterday, having made the crossing from Botwood Harbour (Newfoundland) to Foynes, Ireland, in 12 hours and 20 minutes.

The flying-boat carried mail, freight and six passengers, including four American pilots who had come to Britain to act as ferry pilots, flying machines from factories to bases in England.—Reuter.

Many Homeless After Big Fire

Houses, Factories Gutted In Chinese Village; Pair Arrested on Suspicion

Over a hundred poor Chinese families were left homeless and many will have probably been left jobless as flames destroyed the village of Tse An Pang off Edinburgh Road early yesterday morning.

The fire was believed to have been started maliciously by a Chinese woman and man, who were later taken into custody by the police of the City Government of Greater Shanghai for questioning.

The flames were first noticed in a Chinese food shop at 167 East Tse An Pang at about 6.15 a.m. and four engines of the Shanghai Fire Brigade, from the Bubbling Well and Ichang Road stations, under Assistant Station Officer A. B. Carnell, and two fire machines from the Jessfield Brigade, reached the scene simultaneously a few minutes later.

Hoses were immediately laid by the Shanghai Fire Brigade through an alleyway leading into the flaming village from Edinburgh Road, while the Chinese engines turned back to Yu Yuen Road, where one hose connection was laid in front of the home of Major-General F. K. Simmons, Commander-in-Chief of the British Military Forces in Shanghai. This hose was brought to the rear part of the blazing village from a lane adjoining the British C-in-C's residence.

About 2,000 yards of hose were used by the Shanghai Fire Brigade to reach the scene of the fire. A strong breeze made fire operations still more difficult and caused the flames to spread rapidly on to other buildings in the neighbourhood.

Factories Involved

Spreading rapidly, the flames enveloped Ming Hwa Weaving Factory, Kwang Ya Steel Furniture Factory, a Chinese cushion store, Dah Chung Hwa Carpet and Weaving Factory, Yih Dah Cotton Weaving Factory and Shung Dee Scarf Weaving Factory. Some of these were not badly damaged by fire, but the Chinese food store was completely gutted, while Dah Chung Hwa Carpet and Weaving Factory sustained serious damage. The others were slightly damaged by water.

Captain H. G. Reed, Chief Officer of the Shanghai Fire Brigade, was at the scene soon after the arrival of the fire engines, and supervized the work.

Since the fire broke out in a Chinese-controlled area, no Settlement police were at the scene. A Japanese warrant-officer of the Japanese Special Service Section was on the spot, however, to take notes on the fire.

Firefighters experienced great difficulties in bringing the flames under control because of the changing direction of wind, but finally managed to do so after an hour of persistent work. The fire was completely put out three hours later.

The flames were directly responsible for another accident at about 11 a.m. when a Chinese male was injured as a wall of the building housing the Kwang Ya Steel Furniture Factory, collapsed. The man was taken to the Red Cross Hospital, suffering from multiple abrasions. His condition, however, was not considered very serious.

Over 600 N. Z. Airmen Stationed with R.A.F.

London, Aug. 11.

Since the war began New Zealand has sent over to the R.A.F. over 300 trained pilots and N.C.O.'s and there are now between 600 and 700 airmen from this Dominion in the R.A.F.

This number will increase rapidly, for it is estimated that by the end of the year New Zealand will be contributing annually 900 fully-trained and 500 partly-trained pilots, as well as 1,500 partly trained observers and gunners, to the Empire flying service.—Reuter.

Troop Withdrawal Seen As Sign of Firm Stand

First Reactions in U.S. to British Move In North China Superseded; America Wants "Open Door" to Be Preserved

Washington, Aug. 11.

THE first unfavourable reactions in Washington to the withdrawal of British troops from China have given place to hopeful speculation whether it means the end of British appeasement of Japan.

There is a growing belief here that Britain is clearing her China decks of isolated troops for a showdown if Japan insists on one.

It is recalled that the Japanese long ago called foreign troops in Shanghai and North China hostages, and it is believed here that Britain is removing her hostages for such eventualities as the Japanese may force.

In connection with the belief here that the move may mean a stronger policy instead of appeasement, it is interesting to note that well-informed sources here have received information from high sources that in the event of a Japanese attack on Indo-China, French forces there will resist on orders from Vichy received in the last few days.

Beyond submarines, the French forces are believed not to be strong, but it is reported that steps are being taken to improve both naval and aerial defences within the shortest possible time.

Yunnan Threat Discounted

Informed circles here discount any danger to General Chiang Kai-shek from any Japanese attempt to occupy Indo-China. It is pointed out that the Japanese army has proved incapable of reaching the Indo-China border on the Chinese side, and it is believed that the chances of reaching the Yunnan border from Indo-China are very difficult because of the rugged terrain and the fact that Chinese troops, now massed on the Yunnan border, will probably enter French territory to occupy strategic defensive positions.

There is speculation here how Berlin would view a Japanese attack on Indo-China, for while the Nazis obviously would welcome any Japanese attack on British soil or interests in the Far East, they might not welcome an attack on a colonial possession which might fall to Germany as a result of the defeat of France.

On the balance, it appears to an observer here that Japan has more to lose than to gain by any ill-judged attack on Indo-China.—Reuter.

Should Say "Hands Off"

New York, Aug. 11.

In an editorial headed "Our Shanghai Hot Spot," the "Herald-Tribune" states: "It would look as though we owed it to ourselves and to our friends in trouble to take over the British job in Shanghai and to say hands off to Nippon."—Reuter.

U.S. Wants "Open Door"

Washington, Aug. 11.

The United States will not withdraw its armed forces from China until the "Open Door" has been assured, the "Washington Star" said yesterday in an editorial commenting on the British withdrawal of troops from China.

The withdrawal of British forces from China, according to London, is due to the disappearance of the original cause of their presence, namely Chinese banditry, the newspaper said.

"But the United States Government's opinion," the "Star" said, "is that the Japanese, in their Chinese undertakings, have behaved ruthlessly, if not quite like bandits. Japanese Government and Japanese army pressure on western interests in Shanghai is far weightier than the old Chinese bandits problem.

"What the United States wants is what it has wanted since the birth of the International Settlement—the 'Open Door' in China. What the United States fears from Japan is a closed door."—United Press.

Chinese Press Comment

When the various foreign military authorities in Shanghai meet to discuss the situation arising from the withdrawal of British forces, the commander of the Japanese Naval Landing Party may preside over the meeting and may demand that Japanese forces be assigned to take up duties in the British sector when it is vacated. This is revealed in a special report published by the "Sin Shun Pao" which also hints that Japanese authorities here will not tolerate any change of the defence system as a result of a "unilateral" understanding reached between the British and American military authorities here.

The report also refers to the rumour that after the withdrawal of British forces from Shanghai, American Marines may take over their duties. It is alleged that although the transference of the British sector to American Marines has not been officially announced, the information has leaked out. The report further goes to assert that in 1927 an agreement was reached between military authorities of the four Powers, name-

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Reaction in Japan To Withdrawal

Public "Mildly Pleased"; Paper States Britain Must Revise Her Policy

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NCDN Special Correspondent in Japan.

Tokyo, Aug. 10.

The reaction of the public in Japan to the withdrawal of British troops in China can best be described as "mildly pleased."

Japanese circles declare that it has generally been supposed that Britain would take this step sooner or later following the pointed recommendations made to her by Japan on two occasions. Britain's action also has been ascribed to reason of expediency and, it was stated, would hardly affect the prevailing anti-British feeling in the country.

According to the "Asahi," if Britain is really desirous of a reconciliation with Japan, she must fundamentally reorganize her policy towards the Far East and genuinely co-operate with Japan in her programme for the establishment of a new order in East Asia. It has been assumed in Japan, that the withdrawn troops would be sent to Hongkong or Singapore.

Anglo-U.S. Understanding?

Tokyo, Aug. 11.

Judging from the friendly relations between Britain and the United States, an understanding probably has been reached between the countries that American troops in Shanghai are to protect British interests in China, states the "Yomiuri Shimbun," popular vernacular daily with a large circulation, in commenting on the withdrawal of British troops.

The "Asahi Shimbun" chain of papers advises the British Government to adopt a "far-sighted" policy in the Far East. If Britain desires improvement in relations with Japan, the paper states, she should shape her Far Eastern policy from a far-sighted view, co-operating with Japan for establishment of a "new era based on co-prosperity."

The "Nichi-Nichi" chain says withdrawal of British troops is a matter for congratulation, apart from the fact that the action will set a precedent for other Powers. The paper believes Italy probably will withdraw her garrison troops from China.

The "Yomiuri" advises Britain to revise her Far Eastern policy fundamentally if she really wishes to improve relations with Japan.

The "Miyako" urges the Japanese Government to watch closely the attitude of the United States, "which will play the role of watchdog in the Far East for Britain."—Reuter.

R.A.F. Praised by British Cabinet

Premier Asked to Convey Admiration of Skill

London, Aug. 11.

Prowess of R.A.F. pilots who were engaged in the big battle over the Channel when 60 German machines were shot down is the subject of the following message sent by the Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, to Sir Archibald Sinclair, Air Secretary:

"The War Cabinet would be glad if you would convey to fighter squadrons of the Royal Air Force engaged in Thursday's brilliant action their admiration of the skill and prowess which they displayed, and congratulate them upon the defeat and heavy losses inflicted upon a far more numerous enemy."—Reuter.

U.S. to Open Consulates In Two French Colonies

Washington, Aug. 10.

The State Department has disclosed that the United States is reopening consulates at Dakar (French West Africa), and at St. Pierre, the capital of the French islands off Newfoundland.—Reuter.

Rotary Clubs Being Abolished in Many Cities in Japan and Korea

Ties with International Organization Cut; Arrest Of Britons in Japan Defended by Justice Minister

Tokyo, Aug. 11.

Rotary clubs in various towns and cities in Japan are being swept out of existence by the rising tide sweeping the country for the formation of a new national structure.

Reports from Osaka received here revealed that the Rotary Club of Osaka has decided to secede from the International Rotary Club in order to form a new organization.

Meanwhile, reports from Keijo, Korea, disclosed that the anti-British League of Korea has demanded that the Rotary clubs at Keijo, Heijo, Taikyu and Fusan disband immediately.—Domei.

Tokyo, Aug. 10.

The recent arrests of foreigners in Japan on charges of espionage are based strictly on evidence in hand, the Minister of Justice Mr. Akira Kazami, declared in a press interview.

The Ministry of Justice undertook to have the arrests carried out on its sole responsibility, Mr. Kazami added. To say the arrests were in any way inspired by expediency of foreign policy "is to libel the integrity of the judiciary," he stated.

"As the investigations progress," Mr. Kazami concluded, "whatever suspicions are entertained regarding our motives, will be dispelled."—Havas.

Millionaire South African Sportsman Dies Aged 75

Adventurous Career of Sir Abe Bailey Recalled; Fortune Made and Lost Before Majority Reached

Capetown, Aug. 11.

ONE of the most colourful figures in the history of South Africa ended his adventurous career here yesterday when Sir Abe Bailey, millionaire sportsman and philanthrophist, died at the age of 76.

Sir Abe Bailey, Bart., K.C.M.G., even at the time of his death, remained one of the most powerful of the Rand mining magnates, and as such, his benefactions were as legend as his wealth, which in 1936, before the appreciation in the value of gold, was estimated at about £10,000,000. As a political authority his word carried sway in every party in South African politics, in which he was regarded with both respect and awe.

Of Yorkshire stock, Bailey was born in South Africa on November 7, 1864, but was educated in England at Clewer House School, near Windsor, His father, the Hon. T. Bailey, sat in the old Cape House of Assembly for 25 years.

In 1881, at the age of 16, he returned to South Africa, where he joined his father's business. In 1886 he joined in the gold rush to Barberton in the Transvaal, and before he was 21, had made the first of his several fortunes—and lost it.

Next year he joined in the first rush to the Johannesburg gold fields, where he formed a life-long friendship with the late Cecil Rhodes and laid the foundations of his enormous wealth.

He was for some years Chairman of the Johannesburg Stock Exchange, head of one of the biggest mining and land-owning groups operating on the Rand, and Director of 27 other concerns.

Action In Boer War

On the outbreak of the Boer War Bailey was responsible for raising and equipping a number of regiments, while he himself took the field. For some time he was Chief Intelligence Officer to General Pole-Carew. He was elected to the Cape House of Assembly for Barkly West, and when the Transvaal obtained responsible government, was also elected to the Assembly for that colony.

In finance he had always played a lone hand, and in politics he was inclined to do the same thing, much to the annoyance of the party leaders. But he was personally popular in Parliament and had friends in all camps.

Sir Abe Bailey

Bailey was an ardent advocate of racial co-operation. He was a decided South African, though also a pronounced Imperialist. He once said that he only knew of one party—South Africa.

Between 1910 and 1914 he lived in England on a large estate in Sussex. But on the outbreak of the Great War he was back in South Africa, where he took part in the operations against the rebels as intelligence officer.

Although not a member of the House of Assembly Sir Abe Bailey remained in close touch with political affairs. He was a frequent traveller to Britain—he made the journey over 100 times in his life—and thus kept in constant touch with world problems.

All-Round Sportsman

Sir Abe Bailey was an all-round sportsman of very considerable prowess and renown. Besides being one of the most important breeders of blood stock, he took a very large part in racing. During his career he won the Cambridgeshire three times, and most of the important fixtures in Britain, including the Oaks in 1936. He never succeeded, however, in winning the Derby, and in 1939 he said he had had his last try.

He was a Steward of the South African Jockey Club for many years, and in 1929 he was elected a member of the Jockey Club of England.

Sir Abe Bailey was also a very keen cricketer, and in his earlier days he captained the Transvaal in the Currie Cup tournament, while he also personally financed two tours of South African teams to Britain and one to Australia.

He was an enthusiastic polo player, and represented South Africa; won both the amateur middleweight and the heavyweight boxing championships of South Africa; and was a daring and successful big game hunter.

Generous In Gifts

Sir Abe Bailey was a most generous giver, both publicly and privately.

Among his most noteworthy gifts were the presentation in 1927 of the famous Fairbridge collection of 15,000 books and pictures dealing with South Africa to the South African Public Library in Cape Town, besides paying the entire cost of building a new wing to the existing library to house the collection: £100,000 to the Institute of International Affairs; and £10,000 for the promotion of civil aviation in South Africa, besides many other benefactions.

Sir Abe Bailey was also a great host, especially during his visits to England, and his London home in Bryanston Square was the scene of many a gathering of notable people of all walks of life. In 1931 he entertained the Duke of Windsor (then Prince of Wales to a banquet which was attended by all the surviving leaders during the Great War.

In 1937, at the advanced age of 72, he suffered severely from phlebitis, and on July 8, it became necessary to have one of his legs amputated while he was in England. He faced this ordeal with the greatest of fortitude, and stood the great pain and shock cheerfully.

He returned to South Africa later in the year, but his trouble continued, and in April 1938 his other leg was removed at Cape Town. Once again his remarkable constitution and optimism resulted in a most outstanding recovery, and he was up and about in a fortnight.

Sir Abe married twice. In 1894, he married Caroline, daughter of Mr. John Paddon, and his son and heir, Mr. John Bailey was born.

On September 5, 1911, he married at Trinity Church, Sloane Square, London, the Hon. Mary Westenra, the only daughter of Lord and Lady Rossmore. The wedding was a great social function. Lady Bailey subsequently became a famous airwoman.—Reuter.

President Inspects U.S. Navy Yards

Ten Submarines Ordered In New Appropriations Seen on Slips

Portsmouth, New Hampshire, Aug. 11.

President Roosevelt arrived here by special train yesterday morning to inspect the navy yard in which construction is in progress for vessels authorized by congress under the national defence programme.

After inspecting the yards, Mr. Roosevelt boarded the yacht, Potomac, and sailed for Boston, where he inspected a navy yard there yesterday afternoon.

The party included the Secretary of the Navy, Colonel Frank Knox, Senator David I. Walsh, of Massachusetts, and the Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Harry L. Hopkins.

White clad sailors and officers lined up and gave full honours as President Roosevelt entered the navy yard here, where 10 submarines are now being built with Congressional appropriations. Three more are authorized.

Following his inspection tour, which included the Army's big gun arsenal at Watertown, near Boston, the President issued a statement saying that the nation is finally getting into its stride in the urgent effort to rearm. He predicted that by late next autumn all navy yards and army arsenals will be in full production.

"It shows we really are getting into our stride," he said. "I am very much satisfied with what I saw. Things are going along awfully well. I hope by late fall all navy yards and army arsenals will be at full production. The cheapest way to produce war materials is to run at full production. You save money in the long run by doing so."

After issuing his statement, Mr. Roosevelt reembarked on the Potomac for a cruise down the New England coast until Monday morning. He will stop to inspect the Newport naval station and torpedo manufacturing plant and the site of the proposed U.S.$6,000,000 naval base at Narragansett Bay. He will also inspect the Navy's major base at New London.—United Press.

Thousands Facing Flood Threat

New Orleans, Aug. 11.

A Coast Guard cutter entered the rain-flooded town of Growley, Louisiana, yesterday and sent out a radio message that the town's population of 10,000 persons was gravely endangered with a shortage of food.

Additional rains swept the region yesterday as railroads and motorboats attempted to evacuate thousands of persons throughout southwestern Louisiana. Some villages were isolated with the residents clinging to rooftops. One person was known to be dead as a result of the floods.—United Press.

Floods in Indo-China Subsiding

Authorities Busy Giving Widespread Relief

Hanoi, Aug. 10.

The waters of the Red River, which overflowed its banks in several regions during the past few days, subsided still further today after the peak point had been reached on Thursday.

While the waters at high point were still at the 12.06 metres mark yesterday evening, today they were down to 11.82 metres. Good weather has returned to Hanoi, and the whole situation appears to be improving hourly.

Relief to flood refugees is being doled out as speedily as possible in all the areas which were inundated. The authorities have coordinated all relief efforts with a view to the most equitable and speediest relief of all the needy.—Havas.

Pan-American Airways To Train Cadets

Washington, Aug. 11.

The War Department yesterday announced that arrangements have been made for Pan-American Airways to train 850 cadets in long range aerial navigation during the coming 14 months. Training will be carried out at Miami, Florida.

The training course will be part of the programme to train pilots for the 50,000-plane air force contemplated.—United Press.

U.S. Defends Panama Canal

The entire Panama Canal Zone is on a war footing, and the greatest vigilance is being maintained to guard against any surprise attack. Here a patrol of seaplanes have been snapped as they roared over the vital Gatun locks.

Former China Fleet Submarine Lost

London, Aug. 11.

Well known along the China coast, the British submarine Odin is announced by the British Admiralty today as lost.

The vessel, which was formerly attached to the British Fleet in China, displaced 1,475 tons, and was commanded by Lieut.-Commander K.M. Woods, R.N.—Reuter.

*German Centres Heavily Raided

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stage of the attack the factory area was lit up by blue flames of a heavy explosion, which later led to further outbreaks of fire.

Rail communications in the Ruhr were attacked, and fires started at Hamm, Soest and Ruhrorthafen. Aerodromes in Germany and Holland received the customary attention.

A salvo of bombs at Schipol, the airport of Amsterdam, says the Air Ministry, began a series of explosions and started numerous fires.

Night-flying at Eindhoven aerodrome was interrupted by a British raider, which started several large fires, while at another aerodrome near Trier several bombs fell across a flare-path just as a German aircraft was taking off.

Bombs were also dropped on the aerodromes at Glize, Werl and Munster, and in a low-level attack on the Dutch aerodrome at Venlo several bombs fell on or near the main hangars.

From these day and night operations, the Air Ministry states, all British aircraft returned safely.

An Anson of the Coastal Command, however, was lost on routine patrol.

Eight Nazi Planes Downed

Four Nazi fighters were reported shot down in each of two air raids over a south-east England coastal area today.

Seventeen bombs were dropped on a Welsh town during the night. A number of fatalities were reported, including a whole family. Scores of houses and shop windows were shattered.

A South-east coast town protected by a balloon barrage was attacked. With a dazzling sun behind them the raiders attacked at terrific speed with machine guns and cannon guns blazing. One balloon burst into flames and its cable fell into the harbour. Ground defences unleased a heavy barrage. A Messerschmitt which shot down the balloon, apparently hit, flew out to sea, trailing smoke.

Anti-aircraft fire effectively prevented a second wave of six Messerschmitts from following up the attack.

It was unofficially reported that 10 Nazi planes were shot down today in actions over the south-east coast.

An Air Ministry communique states enemy aircraft which approached the south-east coast this morning attacked balloon barrages and were engaged by British fighters. Anti-aircraft guns also were in action. Two enemy fighters were shot down by British craft. In another engagement over the English Channel three more enemy fighters and a bomber were shot down.

It was reported that during a raid on a southwest coast town this morning one German 'plane was seen to drop into the sea, another appeared to be making a forced landing some miles inland.—Reuter.

THE Home Office and War Office are being flooded by anonymous letters denouncing refugee Germans and Austrians as Gestapo agents and spies. House-to-house visits are being made by police officers who are either summoning refugees to attend at Aliens Tribunals or are checking up to make sure that they have passed through the tribunals. Leading refugees point out that a whispering campaign against them has been started and is being intensified by fellow refugees for political reasons. A number of German and Czech refugees, mostly Aryans have started a campaign against fellow refugees of different political opinion because they say, they are supporting "a capitalist war" against their own country, Germany. Scotland Yard is keeping watch on all foreigners in this country. The classification as "friendly aliens" cannot save any foreign-born people from internment if there is the slightest suspicion against them.

Proposed U.S. Excess Profit Tax Attacked by Sen. Clark

Measure Declared "Sugar Coating" on Amortization Of New American National Defence Programme

Washington, Aug. 11.

SENATOR Bennet Champ Clark, Missouri Democrat, yesterday described the Administration's proposed excess profits tax as sugar coating "to get the people to swallow amortization" involving tax concessions on private expansion in connection with the national defence programme.

Previously, the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. John Sullivan, told a joint Senate and House finance committee hearing that the proposed tax would yield only US$190,000,000 in the first year.

Senator Clark declared that this would be "just a drop in the bucket."

Mr. Sullivan disagreed with the statement of Senator Prentiss M. Brown, Michigan Democrat, that the pending programme would favour large corporations. Mr. Sullivan explained that the proposal permits small corporations to borrow more than the big ones.

Meanwhile, a United Press survey indicated that the average United States family will pay about US$10 a year more in hidden taxes as a result of the new US$1,000,000,000 defence tax bill.

The average family was selected from statistics compiled by the Living Costs Division of the Labour Department. It is composed of four persons—parents and two children—and has an annual income of US$1,524.

Excise Levies Increase

For a family of the same size with a yearly income of US$2,500, the increased living cost would be about US$20. But neither the US$1,524 nor the US$2,500 family would have to pay an income tax. The increases would come in the excise levies

Some of the increases for the US$1,524 family, based on average consumption of goods on which the taxes have been increased

US$7.45 more for cigarettes; US$1.80 more for movies, sports and other admissions; 15 cents more for gasoline; four cents more for toilet preparations; and about 39 per cent more per gallon for alcoholic beverages (for which it now spends US$5.44.)

Expenditures of any one family would vary, of course, and so would the taxes on the individual items, but the average would be the same.

Minor Increases Seen

A man buying a bottle of beer, now selling at 15 cents, might have to pay 16 cents as a result of the new tax. It increases the tax from U.S.$5 to U.S.$6 a barrel, which is three-tenths of a cent per bottle.

The cigarette tax is increased from U.S.$3 to U.S.$3,25 per thousand, or a half-cent a package. If two packages were selling for 25 cents now, they might cost 26 cents after July 1.

If gasoline were selling five gallons for U.S.$1, the tax bill's boost of from one cent to one and a half cents per gallon would bring it to about U.S. $1.03. If the purchase price of an automobile were U.S.$850, the tax increase of from 3 per cent. to 3½ per cent. would bring it to about U.S.$854.

A 30 cent movie, under the new tax of 10 per cent. for each 10 cents over 20, would cost 33 cents. A compact costing U.S.$1 now under the increase of from 10 to 11 per cent. would cost U.S.$1.01. A U.S.$50 radio under the half per cent. increase would cost 25 cents more.

The income tax features of the new bill lower the exemptions for single persons from U.S.$1,000 to U.S.$800 and for married persons from U.S. $2,500 to U.S.$2,000 and exacts a 10 per cent. tax ear-marked for defence. The U.S.$400 exemption for each dependent and the 10 per cent. earned income credit of the present law are maintained.—United Press.

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*Withdrawal Seen As Firm Stand

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ly Great Britain, the United States, Italy and Japan, here for defending Shanghai and that therefore any unilateral change of the defence system would not be allowed by the Japanese. The British commander in Shanghai on Monday morning formally notified the Japanese authorities of the impending withdrawal of British forces, it is stated.

The same paper quotes Mayor Fu Siao-en of the Shanghai Special Municipality as saying that he had received a telephone call from the British Consual-General telling him of London's decision to withdraw the troops. The Mayor is further quoted as saying that he predicts that the withdrawal will be effected within two weeks, after which peace and order in Shanghai will be further guaranteed. The report refers to the Mayor's recent request for withdrawal of belligerent foreign troops from Shanghai.

The "Central China Daily News," organ of the new Nanking régime, also expresses relief editorially over the withdrawal of British forces, but expresses the hope that American forces will also withdraw.

Decision Criticized

Editorial comment made by other leading Chinese dailies not affiliated with Nanking are different. The "Chinese American Daily News" does not seem to agree with the British at all. The paper opines that although the withdrawal does not affect China's resistance against Japan, it does not really appease Japan. The paper also severely criticizes the British Government's notifying Japan of the withdrawal of troops from Chinese territory, while a suggestion for declaring war on Great Britain was being made in the Japanese parliament.

The "Shun Pao" is of the opinion that the British decision to withdraw troops from Shanghai and North China aims at "retaining the utmost freedom of movement" in protecting British vital interests in the Far East, namely, Hongkong, Burma, and Singapore. The paper is sceptical about talks of appeasement or the stiffening of attitude towards Japan. It is stated that unless the British withdraw completely from the Far East they will not make the Japanese happy, and that the withdrawal of troops without withdrawing British subjects beforehand does not mean that the British will take a stronger policy towards Japan.

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The formation is announced by Colonel Charles Wood of an aviation division of the Committee to Defend America by Helping the Allies.

The division, which has influential support, will strive to obtain all possible moral and material aid for Britain.—Reuter.

Japanese General Back In Hanoi

Chief of Inspectors Calls On Governor-General

Hanoi, Ang. 10.

General Issaku Nishihara, head of the Japanese mission in Indo-China who returned here yesterday, called on Vice-Admiral Decoux, Governor-General of Indo-China, at 11 a.m. today.

Colonel Sato, deputy leader of the Japanese mission, accompanied General Nishihara, and took the opportunity to bid farewell to Vice-Admiral Decoux, for he is leaving to return to his command with the Japanese forces at Canton.

The meeting this morning was held in an atmosphere of "great cordiality."

At the close, Vice-Admiral Decoux presented Colonel Sato with the Cravat of the Order of the Dragon of Annam.—Havas.

THE CINEMA

"Saturday's Children"

Rims Rosson	John Garfield
Bobby Halevy	Anne Shirley
Mr. Halevy	Claude Rains
Willie Sands	Roscoe Karns
Florrie Sands	Lee Patrick
Gertrude Mills	Dennie Moore
Herbie Smith	George Tobias
Mrs. Halevy	Elizabeth Risdon
Mr. Norman	Berton Churchill

History repeats itself and Hollywood, presumably finding no better model for the purpose of emulation, continues to hash up variations on the old tales. "Saturday's Children" at the Grand this week is a maudlin differentiation on the theme of Cagliostro and his Seraphina, the last colours in the sunset of old Europe. It is deplorably leavened of any substance, to be sure, and it is Hollywoodized to the extent of having a fatuously happy ending at the expense of an attempted suicide on the part of father-in-law—surely a gem beyond price? But the main *motif* is there, unfortunately without any of the vivid plumage of Cagliostro or the dark insouciance of Seraphina. The case of a double adventure is an inevitable conjecture with an endless variety of connotations—Alexander with some honey-coloured chieftainess instead of that little Persian gazelle Roxana. This time it is a colourless attempt to expatiate on the supposition—patently obvious to all—that the natural duad, man and wife, will not always survive in the life of risk longer and healthier than any mere monad of adventure. The picture is true to life in perhaps one detail—it is unharmonic rather than logical, for life abominates logic. Much has been heard of the "new" Garfield, and it is somewhat gratifying to observe that the blunt-faced, gutter-hero of the "Dead End" period has been toned down into some semblance of an actor. Miss Anne Shirley has a face as pretty as her name and fits plausibly into the frame of inflexible, perfectly middle-class morality which is the keynote of the film. The one highlight in the whole piece is the sympathetic rendering of the understanding father by Mr. Claude Rains, whose acting is always a delight to the beholder.

The only other item on the programme is a short musical, which is chiefly remarkable for the fearsome glimpse it furnishes of the sub-human antics of that particular species of anthropoids known as "jitterbugs."—C.E.M.B.

"Deficiency of information in Japanese English-language newspapers is completed very successfully by an English newspaper in Kobe **The Japan Chronicle** . . on its pages can often be found criticisms of the political and economic actions of the Japanese Government and various other information which gives the opportunity to observe and to analyse the Japanese economic situation. In addition to the usual material obtainable from all the Japanese English-language newspapers, **The Japan Chronicle** gives a very detailed and comprehensive review of the foreign trade of Japan. It regularly prints statistics pertaining to Japanese exports and the state of the home market."—*Extracts from U.S.S.R. Chamber of Commerce Journal.*

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Mr. Farley Enters Soft Drink Firm

Appointment Declared Not Likely to Interfere with Baseball Interests

Wilmington, Del., Aug. 11.

Mr. James A. Farley, the Postmaster-General, has been appointed chairman of the board of the Coca Cola Export Corporation, the president of Coca Cola Company, Mr. Robert W. Woodruff, announced here yesterday.

Mr. Woodruff said Mr. Farley, who this week resigned from the President's cabinet, is an old personal friend of his. Mr. Farley will report for work after a month's vacation, he said.

Meanwhile, it was learned at New York that Mr. Farley's new job would not affect the negotiations now going on for the purchase of the New York Yankees baseball team, which Mr. Farley will head. An announcement on the Yankees negotiations will be made within the next two weeks, it was said.—United Press.

Japanese Drive South Chiefly Economic

Finance Minister Explains Expansion Plans

Tokyo, Aug. 10.

The aims of Japan's expansion southward are chiefly economic, Mr. Toyotaro Yuki, Governor of the Bank of Japan, told the press after an interview with the Premier, Prince Fumimaro Konoye.

The Prime Minister, as well as the naval and military authorities, Mr. Yuki added, share these views.

"All I can say of Japan's diplomacy," he said, "is that it is her immutable policy to advance southward. But this must be entirely in the direction of liberating the races of East Asia, and on a basis of morality.

"The object of our advance is primarily economic," Mr. Yuki declared, "and even if we must stand in rivalry with other nations as a result of this policy, we must not lose sight of the fundamental moral and economic aims of our endeavours."—Havas.

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Ex-Mill Hand Sends $25,000 for Relief

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 10.

Mr. Walter Langshaw, who worked as a mill hand in Lancashire, where he was born, and afterwards became a millionaire mill owner in the United States, has cabled $25,000 to Mr. Winston Churchill for war relief.—Reuter.

Rumania Extends Emergency Laws

New Decree Will Include Breaches of Defence Of Local Order

Budapest, Aug. 11.

The Government published a decree yesterday extending the state of emergency to include offences under the law for "the defence of the social order."

The law established punishment by a special summary court of five treason and any other subversive judges. The offences include high revolutionary activity. The extension was considered significant in view of the approaching climax of the Rumano-Hungarian territorial dispute over Dobrudja.—United Press.

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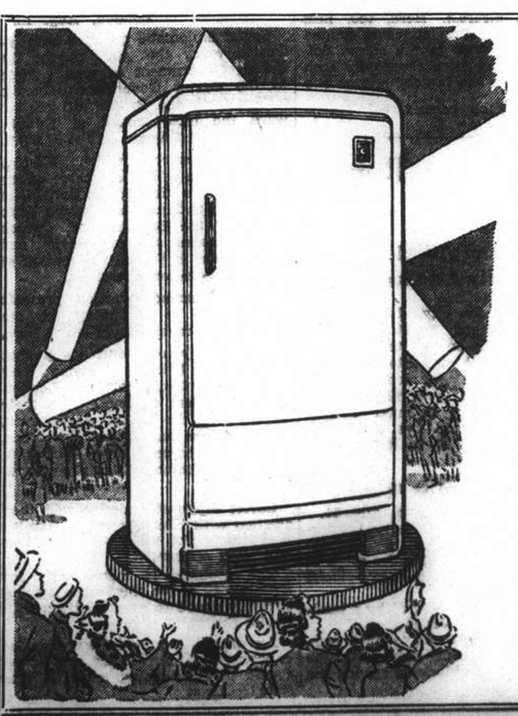

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President Quezon Given Dictatorial Powers

Philippines National Assembly Passes Bill; "New Democracy" to Be Introduced

Manila, Aug. 11.

DEMOCRACY in the Philippines, as envisaged under American political tutelage during the past 41 years, was thrown out the window yesterday as the National Assembly complied with President Manuel Quezon's demands for emergency power to meet an acute economic crisis created by the wars raging in two sections of the world.

The Assembly yesterday passed the Emergency Defence Bill giving Sr. Quezon virtually dictatorial powers. Despite previous bitter criticism, including charges from the floor of the Assembly that Sr. Quezon is "dictatorial minded", the Assembly approved the measure without debate by a vote of 62 to 1.

The bill gives Sr. Quezon the power legally to establish absolute control over virtually every branch of public and private enterprise; arbitrarily to distribute all labour; to sequester private property without court process; to take over any industry or farm in order to ensure continued production; and to regulate rents and prices of all goods.

Move Constitutional

Experts here believed the delegation of legislative powers to Sr. Quezon is constitutional. Violations of the act will be punished by ten years imprisonment and/or 10,000 pesos fine.

Critics bitterly condemned the provision calling for the "suppression of espionage and other subversive activities," because they feared "fifth column" hysterial might result from the virtual declaration of martial law. The bill does not need President Roosevelt's approval as it is an internal affair.

Sr. Quezon has openly admitted to the world that he not only wants to be "dictator" in fact but in name as well, although he faintly disguised the ambition by claiming that he wants to create a "revised" type of democracy, more suited to deal with the rapid-fire nature of events now taking place in the world.

Sr. Quezon advocated establishment of a new type of "democracy" in which individual liberties should be curtailed in the interests of the common good and urged abandonment of the two-party, or opposition, system of government.

Party Politics Denounced

"It is party politics that causes inefficiency in government, and it is party opposition that causes delay in execution of needed reforms," Sr. Quezon asserted recently. "It is party spirit that weakens government and makes it incapable of facing difficult situations."

Sr. Quezon also urged abandonment of the basic foundation of democracy as envisaged by American leaders,—individual freedom and rights.

"The second slogan that must be thrown overboard," he declared, "is the theory that in a democracy individual liberty must not be restricted. Organized society is predicated on the willingness of men to limit their freedom of action in the entire community in which they live. There is no liberty without social restraint.....

"Boundless individualism, unrestricted competition, freedom to use labour as a chattel to be treated and paid for as the employer may wish, have resulted in the accumulation of wealth in a few hands and the impoverishment of large masses of the people.

Property Rights Changed

"The old concept of property and property rights must yield to the demands of social justice in the interest of all the component elements of society.

"If we do away with partisan spirit; if co-operation rather than opposition is made the basis upon which the government of the Philippines is to operate; if liberty is properly understood and practised; and if the aim of government is the well-being of the people as a whole, and not of a privileged class; democracy in the Philippines will endure."

Sr. Quezon said he realized he was asking for tremendous powers, but he said the situation calls for action which "must be taken with courage and determination, if we are to protect our people from suffering, starvation and want."

Passage of these measures by the assembly gave Sr. Quezon the greatest powers ever held by one man under an allegedly "democratic" government.

Had Great Powers

The Philippine President, even before passage of the bill, had enormous powers over both national and local legislation. Through his personal control of the Nacionalista party, he controls the National Assembly—and rarely if ever does that Assembly act without his prior consent or act against his wishes. Sr. Quezon has the right to remove public officials from office at will, even elective assemblymen of city councils or of provincial governments, and there is no recourse from his action.

Probably Don Manuel's greatest single power is his authority to juggle appropriations. The Assembly has the right to pass national budgets and to appropriate funds for any project it desires. But Sr. Quezon has the power to transfer appropriations from one department to another, to take funds from one project and allocate them to another—in other words, he has complete and final power over national finances.

One commentator, discussing this power recently, pointed out that the Assembly in matters of finance "is not even a rubber-stamp because it has handed the rubber-stamp over to the President."

Power of Imprisonment

Sr. Quezon, under the constitution, has the power to do away with the right of *habeas corpus* if he deems it necessary, and an imprisoned civilian—if Sr. Quezon exercised his right—would have no appeal to any court against his imprisonment.

The president openly admitted to Filipino newspapermen recently that he detests political opposition, pointing out that "when I see opposition I swallow it." The phrase rang true, for some of his former bitter opponents, including General Emilio Aguinaldo, who ran for the presidency against him in 1935, and Vice-President Sergio Osmena are now full-fledged Quezon supporters.

Juan Sumalong is head of the only opposition to President Quezon at the present time, and Sr. Quezon recently remarked, "all I have to do is take him into the party."

Two Stumbling Blocks

There are only two stumbling blocks in the path of Sr. Quezon's march to complete power—the United States High Commissioner, Mr. Francis B. Sayre, and the United States Army and Navy.

Mr. Sayre has held back on the purse-strings, refusing to give President Quezon control over the cocoanut oil exise tax rebates from the United States, but has insisted that these funds be spent in accordance with the laws laid down by the American Congress. Every dime spent by the Commonwealth from these funds must be personally approved by Mr. Sayre.

American defence forces act as a deterrent to President Quezon in that he realizes continued American protection is vitally necessary if the Filipinos are ever to gain and to keep their independence. A too outward show of dictatorial authority and abandonment of American democratic principles might bring about a decision on the part of the American people to cast aside completely the prospect of ever granting assistance to the Filipinos in time of need.

Open Criticism in Washington

Congressional Circles Condemn Move; Motives Of Quezon Queried

Washington, Aug. 11.

The Philippine National Assembly's grant of dictatorial powers to the Commonwealth President Manuel Quezon yesterday was greeted with open criticism in some prominent congressional circles here last night.

Many quarters evidenced keen interest in Sr. Quezon's request for extraordinary powers during the current world crisis resulting from the European war, but indicated they would seek fuller information regarding their nature and the circumstances prompting the request before making final judgment.

Senator William H. King of Utah, who wrote the plank in the Democratic platform of 1920 calling for full Philippine independence, said he believed "many Senators and Congressmen will want to know more about Sr. Quezon's request." He said, however, that judgment should be withheld until more complete details have been revealed.

Senator King pointed out that the Philippines are suffering economic difficulties as a result of the European war and contended that the Japanese are apparently attempting to expand their influence and power there. Sr. Quezon's request might be intended to deal with such a situation, he declared.

Getting Away With It

Mr. Fred L. Crawford, Republican Representative of Michigan, condemned the Assembly's action.

"President Quezon is riding high, wide and handsome," he declared. "We are letting him get away with it. The intent and spirit of the Philippine constitution and the Independence Act was that the islands should follow our form of Democratic Government. Is Quezon to say whether an emergency exists or is the United States Government to?"

Mr. Crawford contended that the powers granted the President of the Philippines violate the Independence Act and the Philippine Constitution. He said, however, that he did not believe the United States would take action.

"With conditions as they are, we will not be able to do anything about it and Quezon knows it," he asserted.

Some quarters believed that Japan's expansionist programme might have been instrumental in Sr. Quezon's request. These quarters referred to dispatches from Tokyo regarding the visit of the former Japanese Premier, Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura, to the Philippines. Admiral Nomura returned to Japan yesterday. Dispatches from Tokyo quoted one Japanese newspaper as saying that Admiral Nomura emphasized the necessity of taking measures to facilitate a large scale Japanese emigration southward.

"Post", Critical

Meanwhile, the "Washington Post, in an editorial, said, "It is a very real question whether Sr. Quezon's Emergency Powers Bill does not contravene the spirit and letter of the Commonwealth's constitution and thus of the Independence Act. In any event, we are now witnessing the strange spectacle of a nation which clamoured for independence because it was capable of self government turning totalitarian even before independence is fully achieved."

The newspaper recalled that the late Louisiana Senator Huey Long once argued that Fascism might come to a nation under the guise of anti-Fascism. This paradox has not proved true in the United States, the newspaper said, "but there is one area under the Stars and Stripes where it appears to be receiving startling confirmation."

The "Post" said Sr. Quezon asserted that he was opposed to dictatorship.

"Yet, at the moment he was protesting his love for Democracy, he was asking the National Assembly to vest him with practically absolute powers."

Additional powers for President Quezon may have been inevitable because of world conditions and the serious situation in the Philippines, the "Post" continued.

"Yet, the extent of the authority demanded strongly suggests that Sr. Quezon's ardour for Democracy is not very deep," the newspaper declared.

Other Washington newspapers did not comment on the Philippine situation.—United Press.

Men of the Searchlight Brigade

Searchlight men snapped as they were running to their stations at the sound of an alarm at dusk —a favourite time for air raids.

Conditions Hard in Harbin

Lack of Bread, Epidemic of Typhoid Hit City; Profiteering in Tsingtao Charged

DIFFICULTIES experienced by Harbin are related by a Shanghai resident, who recently returned from a holiday trip to the Manchurian metropolis. This person, who was born in Harbin and lived there for many years before his arrival in Shanghai, said that Harbin had changed tremendously in the past few years and none of the glitter and carefree abandon, so often associated with the city in the past, remained.

The present war in China and the events in Europe have left the city without flour and great difficulties are experienced in obtaining bread. Bread lines are, so avers this person, far longer than the rice lines seen in Shanghai during its worst crisis. At times, he had to wait over three hours to buy a loaf of bread, which at its best, is yellow since corn flour is used by the bakeries. There is also lack of sugar in town and, on several occasions, he had to go to the Chinese part of the town to get a pound of it.

Typhoid Epidemic

Harbin at present is passing through a critical stage for an epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out in the city. All the hospitals are full and very few people have managed to best the disease. The majority of those affected are young men and women. In one day, on July 6, no less than 100 persons, of all nationalities, succumbed to the dreadful disease. To combat against this calamity, the city authorities have issued orders that no vegetables or fruit, unless disinfected in carbolic acid, are to be sold at the markets or shops. The authorities, however, are lax in preventing the spread of the disease and the population of the city has not been inoculated yet.

Very few amusement places remain in town now, while American and British films have not been shown in the theatres for several years now. Only two theatres show foreign films, but these are the old ones from France and Germany.

When returning to Shanghai, this man stayed a few days in Tsingtao and his observations there should also be of some interest to Shanghailanders who intend to spend their summer holiday there.

High Prices Rampant

Profiteering, such as was never noted in the north China resort in the past, has gripped the city and rooms are rented out at exorbitant prices. One of the boarding houses, catering especially to the American Navy men, rents out its rooms at U.S. $40-U.S. $60 per month—and that without board. Some better known boarding houses demand as much as U.S. $2.50 per day.

This year there have been fewer foreigners holidaying in Tsingtao, while the number of Russians has decreased by half, since rooms in Russian boarding houses, previously rented out at $40 per month, are now offered at $200.

Most of the villas, previously used as boarding houses, had been either rented or bought by Japanese, he said. The large influx of Japanese to the north China resort and their willingness to pay high prices for the villas, forced a crisis of accommodation in the city. Profiteers have taken advantage of this and charge high prices.

Drinks Expensive

The presence of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet in Tsingtao presented another opportunity to cabarets to raise their prices and a whisky and soda is sold at $4. No foreign-made beer can be obtained in the cabarets or stores, since Japanese companies have monopolized the market.

Memorial Service For Zion Leader

Local Jewish Community Honour Memory of Late Vladimir Jabotinsky

The Ohel Rachel Synagogue on Seymour Road yesterday afternoon was the scene of an impressive memorial service for the late Mr. Vladimir Jabotinsky, former president of the new Zionist organization. Death came to Mr. Jabotinsky in New York recently at the age of 60, removing from the stage of high Jewish endeavour not only a leader, but a prolific writer of international esteem and a famous lecturer and orator.

In memory of his establishment of the "Berith Trumpeldor" or Jewish youths' association, a colour party with guards of honour was formed from members of the "Brit Trumpeldor." After a short religious service a number of addresses were delivered extolling the virtues of the late leader.

Among the speakers were the Rev. M. Brown and Mr. M. Leymanstein who spoke in English. Other speakers were Messrs. R. B. Bitker, B. Kopilovich and Zoubitsky. Mr. Topas was chairman of the ceremony.

Details of Career

The late Vladimir Jabotinsky was born in Odessa on October 18, 1880, from pure Jewish descent, his parents having lived in Odessa for many years. Graduating from primary school, he joined the famous Odessa high school founded by Count de Richelieu. Here his penchant for literature manifested itself by his translations into Russian of the works of Edgar Allen Poe and Petefi. He formed the Jewish literary circle and remained its president until 1897.

Leaving high school Jabotinsky began his journalistic career as correspondent of the "Yujnee Obozrenie" and later went to St. Petersburg to complete his education. The thirst of young Jabotinsky for learning took him to Rome, Berne and Switzerland, where he studied law. After graduating from the Berne University and obtaining a law degree he went to Rome as correspondent of the "Odesskie Novisti". He was a prolific writer and his articles and sketches on Italian life brought him into prominence.

He was an orator of the first order which was shown by his eloquence and erudition as a speaker and lecturer on his return to Odessa. In 1903 he organized a Jewish self-defence corps to stem the wave of civil disturbance which broke out in Odessa. After joining the Zionist movement he went to Helsinki to attend the session of the Zionist Congress and delivered a fiery address which from that time marked him as an ardent follower of Herzlian Zionism, an exponent of which he remained until his death. In 1927 he organized the "Berith Trumpeldor" and remained at its head until his death.

Radio Closure in Tientsin Watched

Cable Urges Washington To Protest to British Concession Authorities

Washington, Aug. 11.

The State Department yesterday acknowledged receipt of the appeal forwarded by the American Association of Shanghai on behalf of the continued use of the American Radio Service at Tientsin, which was ordered to suspend operations on August 20. The State Department, however, declined to comment on the closing order on the grounds that negotiations are going on locally.

To Close on August 20

The American Radio Service at Tientsin was notified by the British Municipal Council on August 7 that it must suspend operations on August 20, apparently in compliance with Japanese representations.

The American Chamber of Commerce at Tientsin also cabled the State Department here asking it to use its influence to maintain American communications out of Tientsin.

Government officials, meanwhile, denied that United States Marines were en route to Shanghai to reinforce the Marine corps there as a result of the withdrawal of British forces from that city.—United Press.

Explosion Causes Sensation

Rumours are Circulated When Tin Explodes at Station; Quiet Day

With intensified precautions being taken by the police of the International Settlement and the French Concession, the foreign defence forces and the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, quite a sensation was created in Shanghai yesterday when rumours were circulated to the effect that a hand grenade had exploded at the Central police station and had caused injuries to a P.W.D. coolie. Some reports had it that the hand grenade was planted in a garbage can by one of the Chinese arrested by the police during the curfew hours, while a report in a local Chinese paper stated that there were five bombs discovered in the can and that the coolie had sustained many slight wounds.

These rumours were investigated and proved to be groundless, and although there was a terrific explosion at the police station at 6.20 a.m. yesterday, police researches revealed the following: on Saturday afternoon, a Chinese office coolie, employed at S.M.P. Headquarters, had taken out a paper basket from an Arms Identification Section office and dumped the contents into the garbage can in the compound at the Central police station. Among other garbage in the basket, there was a little tin, containing powder and porcelain. When the P.W.D. coolie was cleaning out the can early yesterday morning, he noticed the tin and threw it aside. An explosion was the result and the coolie sustained injuries to his right knee and ankle. He was taken to the Lester Chinese Hospital, where his condition was pronounced not serious, and let out after receiving first aid.

Quiet Day

No other incidents marred the quiet of the day and police and various defence forces here continued to patrol the streets on the look-out for armed persons. Buses were frequently stopped by police search parties and the Reserve Unit parties were noted along many larger thoroughfares of the city.

True to their word, police detained many persons after 12.30 a.m. and these were taken to various stations in Shanghai. The majority of those detained were, of course, Chinese, but foreigners had also been stopped and questioned by policemen on street duty.

The situation in the French Concession was also well in hand and armed lorry patrols with French regulars cruised along the streets in their area. French policemen and members of the Russian Auxiliary Detachment kept up strict searches of Chinese entering and leaving the French Concession. With the co-operation of Japanese authorities, several places in the French Concession were searched by the French Police, but no arrests had been made.

Gen. Chiang's Home Again Bombed

Little Damage Done by Japanese at Chikow

Chikow, the home of General Chiang Kai-shek near Ningpo, was bombed again by Japanese 'planes on Friday but this time only little damage is claimed by the Chinese press to be have been inflicted. The reports state that three 'planes went there, dropping eight bombs in all.

Three bombs fell in the vicinity of the Wuling Hotel causing slight damage, while five bombs were dropped on a piece of vacant ground near the bus station. The Chikow Bus Station is linked with both Ningpo and Kinhwa, wartime capital of Chekiang, but since the bombs missed it the traffic is not affected, it is stated.

Four Bandits Arrested In Nantao Battle

Attempt to Hold up Gaming House Thwarted

Four bandits were arrested on Friday afternoon by Japanese gendarmes in Nantao after they had victimized a gambling house and opened fire to escape arrest, according to the "National Herald." The report does not mention casualties but it is stated that the people living near by were panic-stricken during the chase.

The daring hold-up was staged shortly after 3 p.m. when many gamblers were visiting the Yung Sen Gambling House at 10 Liu Wen Loong (Lane), Lu Hsiang Yuen Road. Armed with revolvers and pistols, a large number of robbers broke in suddenly.

With some of them covering the guards of the establishment, the rest of the gang began relieving gamblers of their cash. Japanese gendarmes arrived quickly but the bandits tried to shoot their way to freedom. The Japanese returned the fire and as a result of a hot chase four of the men were caught.

French Foreign Minister Sees Chinese Envoy

Vichy, Aug. 10.

Foreign Minister Paul Baudoin today received both Chinese Ambassador Wellington Koo and Brazilian Ambassador Souza Dantas.—Havas.

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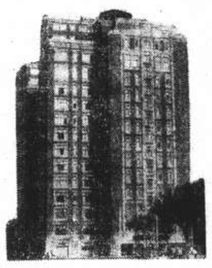

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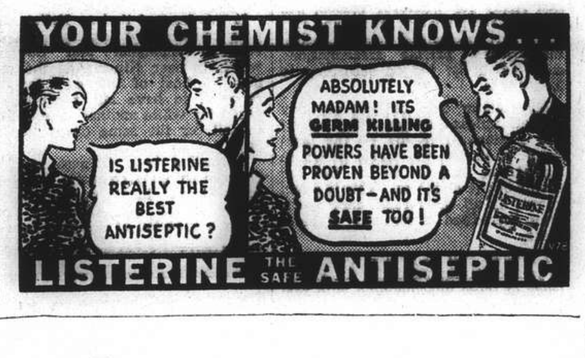
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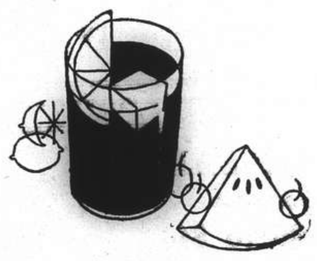

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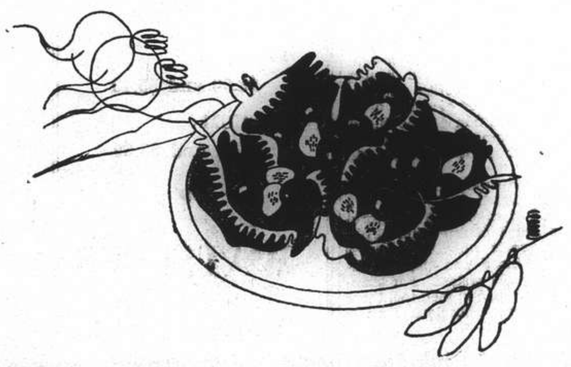

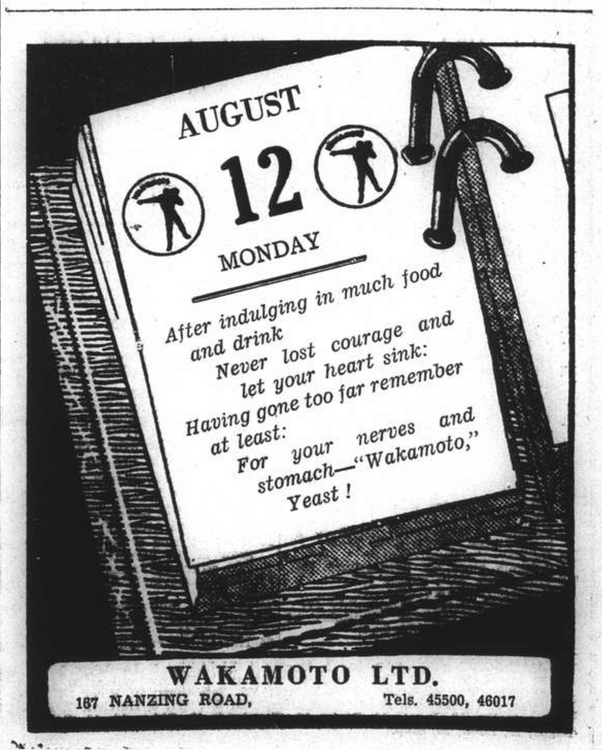

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New Casino :
A Pestilential Lair

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Your correspondent VICTORY TERRACE has rendered a service to the community by directing its attention, in your issue of August 4, to the congestion of traffic along Avenue Haig between Route de Say Zoong and Bubbling Well Road consequent on the opening of a new gambling resort at No. 346 Avenue Haig.

As he points out, the *locus in quo* is situated just outside both the Foreign Settlement and the French Concession, but I suggest that he goes too far in his assertion that the police forces of these areas can do nothing in the matter. As a matter of fact Avenue Haig, which is the only access to the resort, is at this point under the control of the police of the Foreign Settlement and the Route de Say Zoong lies, of course, (wholly) within the French Concession.

In addition to the nuisance mentioned by your correspondent there is a more serious nuisance created by the hooting, shouting, banging and general cacophony of the *canaille* who frequent this illicit establishment. This vulgar clamour lasts throughout much of the day and most of the night; during the former it seriously affects the comparative tranquillity of this residential district and during the latter becomes so atrocious as to deprive residents in the vicinity, including those of the large apartment house known as Haig Court, and their little children of their sleep.

A nuisance of this kind calls for immediate abatement, but experience has taught us that it is hopeless to expect such a remedy at the hands of the native authorities of Shanghai. It is not, however, too much to expect a Council which has recently had to appeal to its ratepayers to extricate it from a financial muddle to be zealous to preserve the ordinary amenities of urban life for some of those who have come to its rescue with fifty per cent. surcharges. The application of a modicum of intelligence to the problem would doubtless discover legitimate means of ridding the district of this pestilent lair.

AJAX.

Shanghai, Aug. 10.

Local Britons :
The Case for Eurasians

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—It was with great interest that I have read in the North-China Daily News the correspondences of TORONTO and A BRITON, but both of them in their letters didn't exactly express all that there is to this age-old and distasteful subject. In both instances, the attention was directed to the children of Britons whose parents following the pioneers, are out here to make a living, and consequently they are considered under the class of local Britons. But what about the other local Britons, the sons of these pioneers, called Eurasians? Are they to have no champion? I, as a neutral, would like to say a few words on their behalf.

Among the local boys who have enlisted, they have a good representative body as eager to do their bit as the others who have homes in the British Isles. These young men have been brought up in the same way as the others, and have been taught loyalty to the crown. They know but one King and one country. Even though they have always been treated with indifference bordering on contempt in some cases, their loyalty forbids them to allow petty differences to come in the way of what they think is their duty to their father's country. They willingly forget the snobbery that has been thrown on them for the past years and are eager to fight side by side with the same people who once held them in utter contempt. This of course will be appreciated by many of the old China hands who are inwardly ashamed that their children should be treated just a little better than the natives, as everything that is granted them is done condescendingly.

Most of my friends are local Eurasians. I am proud of them, because they know how to hold their own even in the best of society. They were in school with me, and I have noticed that these boys have always done much better than those British boys of pure European parentage. A survey of the Oxford and Cambridge examination results for the past ten years will prove that I am undoubtedly correct. This shows that they are not wanting in brains, but have an abundance of it; then why are they so badly paid by their English managers? They have never applied for home leave, all they have ever been asking for, is a decent living salary—one which will enable them to live like civilized people do—nothing enormous as that paid to the home staff, neither something just above a native's wage. (In this I am not championing my own case, as being of pure European descent, I am credited with home leave and a U. S. dollar salary).

So, in all fairness, to these lads, whose forefathers facilitated the possibility of the enormous foreign trade in China, I say to you managers, give them what is their due, because they are good and honest men, only striving to make an honest living, and to help in carrying on this exuberant China Trade.

NEUTRAL.

Shanghai, Aug. 9.

X.C.D.N. :
Listeners' Opinions Wanted

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—May I refer your readers to the following paragraph that appeared in the Special Noon Bulletin yesterday:

"Radio Station XCDN has now been on the air in Shanghai for nearly four months and would like opinions on its programmes. Listeners are invited to write to Oliver Langley, P. O. Box 483, Shanghai giving their comments and suggestions for future programmes. Requests to include particular recordings when arranging programmes and reports on reception will be appreciated.

I should be very glad if you would be kind enough to bring this request to the notice of your readers so that we may, as far as possible, choose the kind of programme they would like to hear.

THE STATION MANAGER.

Shanghai, Aug. 10.

Emperor Sanctions Informal Dress

Tokyo, Aug. 10.

Aware of the discomfort caused by correct formal attire in the present hot weather, the Emperor has granted special permission to Cabinet Ministers to wear their ordinary clothes when appearing in audience before him at his Hayama villa.

First person to be received by the Emperor under the new conditions was the Premier, Prince Fumimaro Konoye, who dressed in a lightweight summer business suit for the occasion.—Havas.

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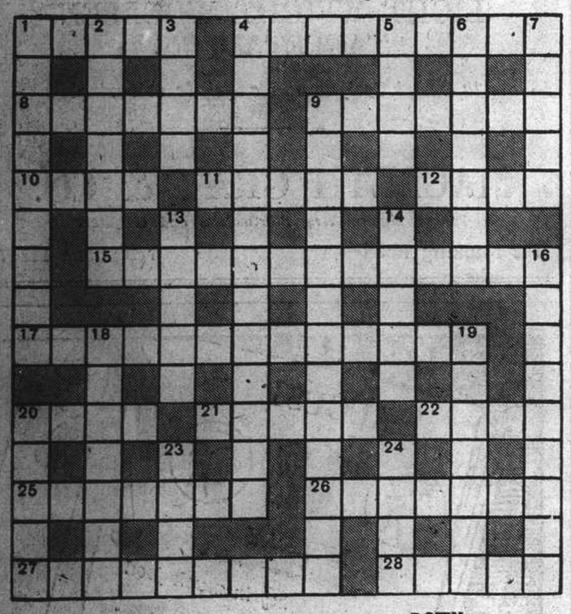


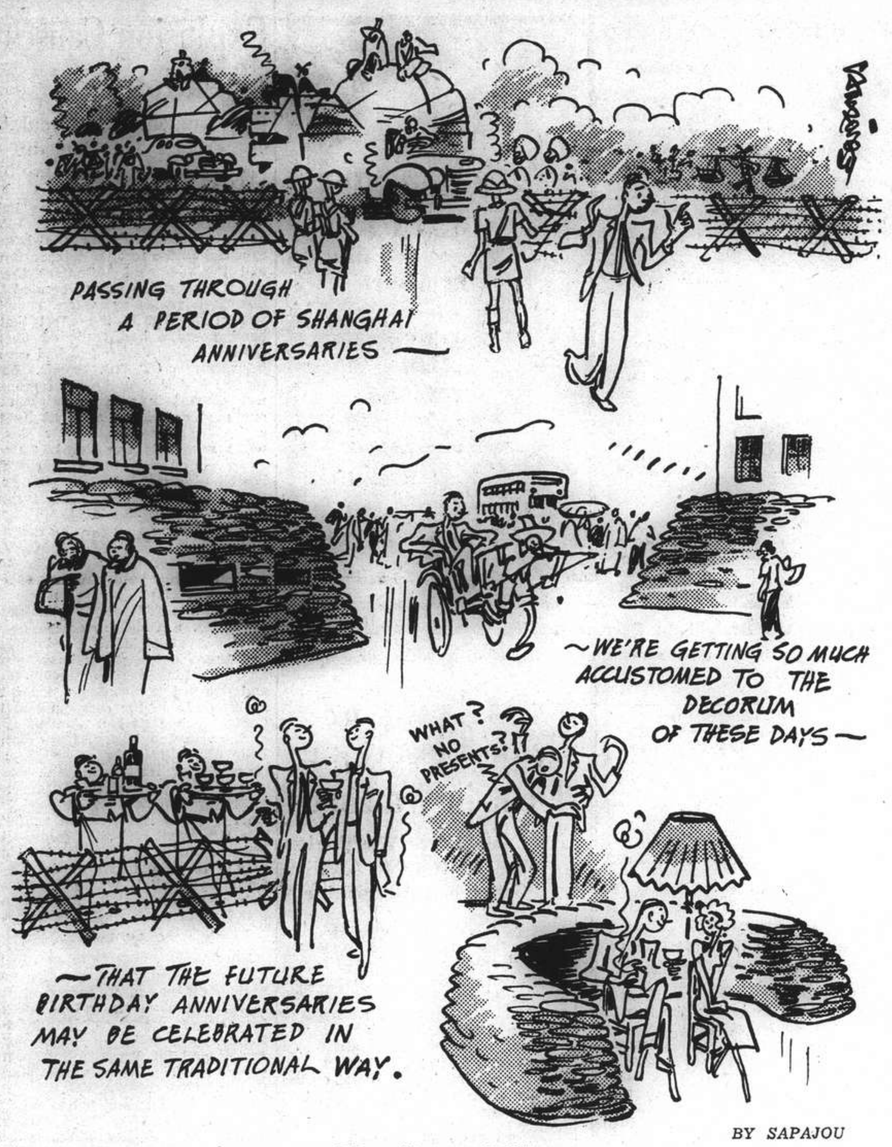
ACROSS

1 A broken bit of spur is not so far up (5)
4 He has no warm heart, but a regular beat (9)
8 A dandy bit of bird by the sound of it (7)
9 What the arrested author of a theft must think he is sure to be (three words—2, 3, 2)
10 One of those sweeping results (4)
11 Like a fig, or a time signal (5)
12 Its child is often thought, so they say (4)
15 Bridge advocates want it abolished (two words—5, 8)
17 Tommy abroad wants leave to go here (three words—4, 2, 7)
20 Custom of refusal? (4)
21 Suitable place for gymnasium? (5)
22 This bottle is a buzzer (4)
25 Entirely to agree (7)
26 This work should go smoothly (7)
27 Where one can see a display of jumpers (two words—5, 4)
28 Unbending (5)

DOWN

1 A key man (9)
2 A lifeless plaything, but has been known to run in hot situations (two words—3, 4)
3 An uproarious affair (4)
4 An institution that says volumes for our policy of general enlightenment (two words—6, 7)
5 A blow on the wrist? (4)
6 A drink, or a firearm (7)
7 Recess that is not part of church (5)
9 Neutral opinion? (two words—9, 4)
13 Shape a vote might take (5)
14 Well-known actor (5)
16 The best kind of stock, but it won't grow in the garden (9)
18 The structure to make men stir (7)
19 Being annoyingly vocal with length in (7)
20 It has a much-looked-at face (5)
23 This figures in the draught plans, of course (4)
24 This animal curtailed is a reptile (4)

Y'DAY'S SOLUTION.—ACROSS: 1, Bucks; 4, Lightship; 8, Lamberg; 9, Lighter; 10, Form; 11, State; 12, Shah; 15, Cannibalistic; 17, Thoroughgoing; 20, Lady; 21, Truck; 22, Pine; 25, Guarded; 26, Latakia; 27, Sedentary; 28, Pined. DOWN: 1, Bullfight; 2, Cambric; 3, Shed; 4, Lightfingered; 5, Toga; 6, Hatchet; 7, Perch; 9, Lethargically; 13, Ingot; 14, Dixie; 16, Cleveland; 18, Old-maid; 19, Griskin; 20, Lagos; 23, Eden; 24, Stop.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BY SAPAJOU

The Signs of Time

Spanish Refugees :
That Report from Mexico

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I have read in your esteemed paper this morning an item sent from Mexico by the United Press, with the characteristic malice and bad faith with which affairs concerning my country are treated, referring to the Spanish criminals escaped from Spain after the civil war.

My country has kept open doors to all the Spaniards who served in the Red Army for whatever reason, but with the warning that those who had taken part in criminal deeds (Chekas, martyrdoms, private assassinations, etc.,) would be judged according to their deeds.

My country does not put anybody to death unless they have been judged and condemned to die by the legal courts of justice, the career of whose magistrates is prior to the last sad events of the civil war. This is a fact known by all the foreign representatives accredited before my Government.

I request you to publish this letter in your esteemed paper for the knowledge of those unacquainted with real conditions in my country and who may believe the seditious propaganda against Spain.

PEDRO DE YGUAL.

Shanghai, Aug. 10.

Memorial for Belgian Missionary

Chungking, Aug. 10.

Friends of the late Father Lebbe, Belgian missionary who became a naturalized Chinese and who accomplished great works of enlightenment in the interior, have formed a committee which aims to raise $1,000,000 for the establishment of a school, a library, a hospital and a hospice.

The Service Corps in the North China war areas which was founded and led by Father Lebbe before his death this summer, is continuing its work on the lines laid down by its founder.—Havas.

The demands made by nature on a woman's system render her liable to anaemia. Few ailments are so common, and yet, if neglected, so far reaching in their ill-effect.

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Coastal Shipping Situation Eases
Contact Made With Ningpo And Wenchow; Brisk Trade For Shipping Concerns

The resumption of navigation between Fukien and Shanghai is regarded in shipping circles as the prelude to the lifting of the shipping ban for certain routes along the China coast by the Japanese naval authorities.

It was learned that an Italian shipping concern is operating a service between Shanghai and Sungmen which is near Ningpo, as the crow flies. A boat of this company was reported to have left for Sungmen yesterday while another vessel is due to sail for the same destination today.

According to a Chinese report a German shipping company is doing a brisk trade in shipping between Shanghai and east Chekiang ports. After suspension of shipping between Shanghai and Wenchow for almost a month, a crowd of intending passengers thronged the office of the company a few days ago when it became known that passage could be obtained for a port near Wenchow. The port of destination is Ku Aou Tao which has been chosen as the terminal of the route since Wenchow is still barred to shipping, owing to Japanese naval operations. A boat of this company is due to leave for Ku Aou Tao today, it was learned.

Considerable difficulty in landing has been experienced by passengers to Wenchow and other ports still occupied by Chinese forces. Landing permits could only be obtained after the passenger has furnished suitable security or a guarantee from a shop in Wenchow that the visitor has a legitimate reason for landing. So suspicious have the local authorities been of strangers that even foreign members of a ship's crew cannot land without the proper permit.

While many shipping concerns have been preparing to resume the coastal service Japanese reports stated that the ban will be extended shortly to smaller ports which up to now have escaped the attention of the Japanese naval authorities.

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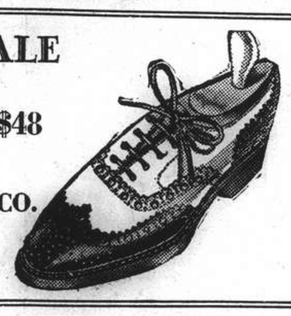

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COMING DEPARTURES

When, in 1927, Great Britain, in common with the other Powers, sent large forces to Shanghai to protect it against the Communists who threatened to over-run the foreign areas, it was never contemplated that they would be kept here permanently. That is clearly shown by the failure of the British Government to erect permanent barracks, and adherence to the policy of carrying on with temporary accommodation. When conditions approached normal there was seen a steady reduction of the troops forming the British part of the Shanghai Defence Force, until in 1936 the garrison consisted of one battalion and some details. With the outbreak of hostilities around Shanghai that force was increased immediately by two battalions from Hongkong. Following the policy of keeping no more British troops here than was necessary there subsequently followed a reduction to two battalions. Whitehall has decided to withdraw them from Shanghai. It is, in the light of all the circumstances, not only a thoroughly wise decision, but wholly in keeping with the policy which the British Government has consistently followed. It would not be true to say that conditions in Shanghai have completely returned to normal, but it is clear that the threat, which originally necessitated the depatch of substantial British forces to Shanghai, has largely disappeared. The port does not face the same dangers that it did in 1927.

It is important that these facts should be remembered in view of the captious criticism which has been indulged in on the one hand, and the unnecessary jubilation which has been displayed on the other. With regard to the former the two battalions at present in Shanghai would be insignificant in size compared with the forces which could be thrown against the city,—a most unlikely eventuality. By reason of their size they may not be of great value here, but elsewhere might prove a valuable addition to other British forces. In addition it may also be pointed out that it can be no part of British policy in conditions such as at present prevail to continue to dissipate British forces all over the world to protect interests which are comparatively infinitesimal in the light of the much greater stakes threatened in other parts of the world. That the departure of the battalions will throw additional burdens upon the remainder of those who are entrusted with the defence of Shanghai must be admitted, though it cannot be agreed for one moment that that fact justifies the criticisms which have been levelled against the British Government on that score. Nor is there any real ground for the jubilation which has been displayed in some quarters. That a demand was made for the withdrawal of these troops may readily be agreed, but it is apparent that such a demand had but little effect upon what has clearly been shown to have been the policy of the British Government all along.

So after a period of thirteen years the British section of the Shanghai Defence Force will sever its connection with the port. It goes without saying that their departure will be a matter for considerable regret to the British community which has been proud of the manner in which the military sons of the Empire have conducted themselves during their long stay here. They will leave behind them the bodies of some of their fellows who have just as completely given their lives for their country as those other gallant men who have but recently done so in the heat of terrific battle. They will also leave a splendid memory of fine soldiers, and brave gentlemen who carried out their duties under all conditions in keeping with the wonderful traditions of the various regiments to which they belong. It has been known that many of the men who will shortly be leaving have chafed under the knowledge that they were taking no active part in the European war. Nothing could be more natural than that they should be wishing to get at the enemy, and the possibilities are that the change which is being brought about will eventually give them that opportunity. That is something for which it is known they hope, and in wishing them Godspeed and good luck, this journal considers it a very high privilege indeed to be able to assure them that they carry away with them the admiration, and affection of the community they, and their fellows have served so well.

CLAIMS AND ADMISSIONS

It is only those, who have the opportunity of reading the German propaganda in full, who can really form an idea of the lengths to which Goebbels' prevaricators will go in the hope of persuading the German people, who have no other source of information, that all is for the best in the best of worlds. Yesterday in a supplement to the German Army's usual communiqué, reference was made to reconnaissance flights by German aeroplanes in which it is claimed attacks were made against Newcastle, Sheerness, Chatham, Rochester, and Faversham, alleging that much destruction was done. After that the communiqué goes on to state that since the commencement of hostilities, German anti-aircraft guns have brought down 1,500 enemy 'planes, while anti-aircraft units of the Army and Navy accounted for a further 500, bringing the total to 2,000 enemy aircraft destroyed since the beginning of the war. Tacked on to an account of air-raids over Britain, the suggestion is obviously that that number of British aircraft was destroyed, and as the figures apparently do not include those alleged to have been shot down by German aeroplanes, it is clear that the ingenious writers of the supplement are seeking to convey the impression that some thousands of British machines have been destroyed, a ridiculous statement, for if it were true it would be absolutely impossible for the British air force to have reduced military objectives in north-western Germany to the mass of ruins they are at present. The fact is that British aircraft over Germany have not yet met with the resistance that was to be expected.

Dealing with British raids over Germany and German occupied territory, according to the "Westdeutscher Beobachter," British aeroplanes dropping bombs over Dueren did not cause any damage; over Bonn and Juelich numerous missiles were dropped causing only slight damage; near Seternich some damage was done to a number of buildings. In a meadow near Duewiss bombs killed two colts and seriously wounded a cow. Others fell into a brickyard. In Geildnekirchen only minor damage was caused in some fields, while bombs dropped at Spich, Katzenbroich and Koenigshaven without causing any harm. All mention of the other places which the British raiders visited in the course of the period under review by the German lie factory is conveniently omitted. Nothing is said about the raids on Guernsey, Flushing, Brest, munition factories at Ludwigshaven and Cologne, railway communications in the Ruhr, aerodromes at Schipol and in Germany, Holland and Belgium. And from all these day and night operations the British machines returned safely.

From what the Germans admit, and what the British claim it is clear that during the twenty-four hours with which the communiqués of the opponents deal, a very large number of British raids were carried out, and considerable numbers of aeroplanes used, while the only machine lost throughout the day was an Anson of the Coastal Command. The question must naturally arise as to why the German authorities are so blatantly endeavouring to conceal the real truth from their people. No one in the world will believe that the British fliers are doing no more harm than the slaughter of two colts and the wounding of a cow, for the state of Hamburg and many another military or naval objectives clearly demonstrates this to be untrue. The only conclusion to be drawn is that the German Government realizes how destructive of German *moral* the admission of the actual truth would be. Testimony is available to show that every endeavour is made to prevent knowledge of the destruction wrought upon military objectives in Germany spreading beyond the immediate vicinity of the objectives struck. Such tactics will in the end defeat the purpose with which they have been inspired, and the question must obviously be asked as to whether they are not dictated by a realization on the part of the German authorities that there is more than a grave probability that their people cannot long stand up under the impression of defeat, which this knowledge that the British can and are hitting back strongly must inevitably create.

A Fine Result

The information was made available on Saturday morning that, as anticipated by this journal in its issue of that day, the £50,000, wanted as an immediate gift to H.M. Government in connection with the Voluntary War Contribution Fund, had been reached. That figure does not include the contribution of Sir Victor Sassoon, and of one other subscriber both of which will have to be realized before it is known exactly how large the initial gift will be. It may be said judging from information as to the cost of such machines as Hurricanes and Spitfires that Shanghai, when every contribution is taken into consideration is in a position to supply the Government with approximately twelve such aeroplanes, accepting the statement that the gift of Mr. Garfield Weston, Macclesfield M.P., of £100,000 will provide sixteen such machines, to replace those lost over the Channel on Thursday is correct. At the risk of boring readers it must be pointed out that this splendid initial effort by Britons in China cannot be regarded as the end. The Voluntary War Contribution Fund embraces the idea of Britons now proceeding to give what they can each month. The idea of a steady flow of money going home monthly, representing to the British Government all that Britons in China can afford to give, is something which should commend itself to their loyalty, for it is about the most militant gesture that so many of them will probably ever be able to make. It would be a splendid thing if it were possible to send home sufficient to enable the British Government to purchase an aeroplane every month. That might not sound large in view of the numbers of such craft which are required, but it has to be remembered that most of the community is dollar earning, and that if the effort which has now been made, had been made in circumstances similar to those which pertained during the last struggle, that $3,000,000 would have represented not £50,000 but more nearly £300,000.

Blowing the Gaff

Mr. Warren Irving, one of the four American radio commentators operating in Germany, has blown the assiduously propagated German fable of the entire freedom of neutral correspondents and others sky high. In an address given over the B.B.C. he shows that, while the correspondents are not subjected to censorship, they are subject to various forms of pressure, and retaliation which definitely had an effect upon their presentation of the news they sent out to their papers. Thus, if a correspondent displeased the German authorities with the news he was sending out, they would give the other correspondents whatever journalistic plums were going, and he would only have to be "scooped" a few times before his head office would recall him. Then again the possibility of his not being able to obtain a visa to return to the country should he wish to take a holiday was calculated to have a certain effect upon his journalistic conduct. In the case of the commentators Mr. Irving clearly shows that their alleged independence is a complete myth, and that in fact they are subject to a triple censorship by the Army, the Propaganda Ministry and the Foreign Office, and that on occasions when the drafts of their broadcasts have been too heavily mutilated they have refused to speak. Thus, with clearly defined, and closely controlled sources of information, and a triple censorship, the radio commentator is in a worse position than even the newspaper correspondent, and those who have the opportunity of listening into their broadcasts would do well at all times to remember that fact. In passing it may be noted that the report of Mr. Irving's address does not state whether he is away from Germany on holiday, or whether he has definitely concluded his association with the German authorities. It is to be believed that the latter is the case, for, having "blown the gaff" in the way he has, it is extremely unlikely that the Germans will ever permit him again to function over the air from territory under their control.

STRAY NOTES

Weihaiwei, Aug. 2.—I caught sight of a Chough in the hills the other day (a crow-like bird with red bill and legs) and when I looked it up at home I found its scientific name was *Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax;* fancy having to keep spelling a name like that! This reminds me that the scientific name given to a handsome Hawfinch is *Coccothraustes coccothraustes cocothraustes,* and that even the poor fish do not escape such silly names: take the case of the Mackerel, for example; there is a fish with a good Scotch name and as merry a twinkle in its eye as any fish I know; so the nomenclators call it *Scomber scomber* . . . a miserable, mournful name. But it is not only scientific names which sound all wrong: it's bad enough for a bird to have to go round with the name of Mealy Redpoll, but what about that other nice little bird which the Scotch call "Yellow-neb Lintie" and the English call a Twite! Fancy being referred to as a Twite. Then there is the case of a girl I met the other day called Amelia Hopkins: she started off badly enough with a name which reminds you of children kicking a stone round the pavements, and then to that her father adds the name of Amelia . . . and it's not as if my friend Hopkins was a poor man, and had no choice outside Eliza, Jane and Amy; he's a rich man and could well have afforded to put his daughter right up into the Cynthia and Diana class. In private life these things do not matter so much because you can use another name, but it's the public occasions which count: the christening is fairly easy because nobody hears . . . the baby is bawling its head off and all the funny uncles are whispering, "that's the devil going out of her" (which it never does). But the girl has got to get married some time, and some poor unfortunate must stand up in public and say, "I take thee Amelia." Personally I couldn't do it . . . and I think people should be much more careful about names.—E.S.W.

THE MASTER SPY

Amazing Career of Karl Schulmeister

The art of spying brings about happenings so fantastic that even the movies could scarcely exaggerate them, and the first of the great organizers and operators should be about due for celluloid immortality, writes Stewart Robertson in the "Family Circle." He was Karl Schulmeister, who, despite the name, was Napoleon's chief spy and more valuable to the Little Corporal than any of his generals.

In his native Alsace, Schulmeister was pursuing a nice little career as a smuggler on the Rhine, and the authorities came to have such admiration for his methods of evading them that he became something of a hero.

Finally caught with the goods, Schulmeister was interviewed at length by a Col. Savary of the French Army, who persuaded him that there would be easier money in a spot of spying for Napoleon.

So Savary wrote to Napoleon that he was sending him a man who was "all brain and no heart," and when Schulmeister was granted an audience with the emperor, Napoleon was surprised to see a man with iron-grey hair and a stupid face.

Nap, always one for quick decisions, turned thumbs down on Schulmeister and walked out of the room. When he returned a few minutes later he found a cocky individual with red hair, and for an uneasy moment Nap thought that one of the proletariat had penetrated the guards in order to knock him off. "Who are you?" asked Napoleon. "The real Schulmeister!" replied the red-head. Needless to say, he got the job.

Some time later a party of French troopers kicked a dopey individual out of their lines. After brushing himself off, he wandered over to Austrian territory, where a patrol officer began asking him questions. The dopey gent explained that the French thought he might be a spy, but as they'd had no definite charges to make, they'd simply expelled him.

The Austrian officer, a sergeant, pressed him further. Was he really a spy? Karl Schulmeister whispered that he was a Hungarian who hated the French and that indeed he had been able to get hold of information which might bring victory to their enemies.

Rapid Army Promotion

In rapid succession he was passed from sergeant to lieutenant, to captain, to major, to colonel, and finally to Field Marshal Mack von Lieberich, who seems to have possessed a naivete so often hidden beneath a regimental front.

Von Lieberich listened eagerly to a report that Napoleon was merely the lid on the French tea kettle, which would soon boil hard and fast enough to blow him sky high. At Schulmeister's request the Austrian commander sent twelve key men into France to receive information at points designated by the master spy.

These dozen dupes were fed information by loyal Frenchmen. All of it was relayed to von Lieberich's willing ears, and it was substantiated soon afterwards by being printed in a Paris newspaper which reached Schulmeister every day.

The news came through that France would soon rise against Napoleon, and when a pessimistic special edition announced that the English had landed on the coast of Brittany, the time seemed ripe for one big smash.

Schulmeister told von Lieberich that the French Army would now try to withdraw, and sure enough, when the field marshal made an inspection, Napoleon's army was folding its tents in readiness for a getaway. They were in movement towards the rear when von Lieberich attacked with 30,000 men before the city of Ulm, only to have the French turn after he had been lured into a sufficiently deep pocket and attack from all sides with more men than he had suspected were in the vicinity.

All the reports as well as the newspapers had been manufactured by Schulmeister's order, and the French triumph was complete. The proper finale would seem to have been for the spy to slip away to his emperor, but Schulmeister, by then chief of the Austrian secret service, crowded his luck.

He faced down whispers and accusations at Vienna by passionately declaring that someone had betrayed him to Napoleon. He then proceeded to go to France on a personal trip to find the traitor.

He came back with information of real value to the Austrians. It resulted in their acquisition of some cannon and ammunition, which Napoleon figured to be a small price to pay for keeping the wool securely over von Lieberich's believing eyes.

So remarkable an actor was Schulmeister that in less than a month he was riding high again and sitting in at a conference between Tsar Alexander I of Russia and Emperor Francis of Austria.

Once again he slipped them advice on which they shot the works, and once again Napoleon bolstered his reputation as a strategist by cashing in on Schulmeister's cool cheek.

The Austrians and Russians were routed just before the end of 1805. This time Schulmeister disappeared from Vienna, but he continued to roam Austria in disguise.

Some historians think that the most remarkable thing about Schulmeister was his ability to induce the niggardly Napoleon to pay him £20,000 a year. The ex-smuggler carried on for years as the emperor's real right hand, but his one desire—membership in the Legion of Honour—was never awarded him. "You can have everything but that," promised Napoleon, who could not stomach such a prize to such a man.

IN PARENTHESIS

Airy

"I'M afraid the mountain air would disagree with me."

"My dear, it wouldn't dare."

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His Luck

A RICH man must hire a valet, a laundress, a secretary, a cook and a housekeeper; the poor man just gets married.

—Liverpool "Evening Express."

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In Error

DON'T blame the chap who makes the same mistake time after time. He's probably acting on the theory that practice makes perfect.—Buffalo "News."

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New Name

STILL, we must give Hollywood credit for some ingenuity. No matter how many times a plot is used, the picture is given a different title each time.—Washington "Post."

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Breach of Peace

AN elderly couple were charged with creating a breach of the peace in their home.

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Reckless

A YOUNG married couple had just missed being knocked down by a recklessly-driven motor car. The car dashed away. The police arrived and found the couple bursting with indignation, specially the wife.

"Did you notice the number of the car?" the police asked.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Cricket Club Vanquish Race Club in Annual Match

Overwhelming Margin of an Innings and 7 Runs; Leach Takes Six Wickets for 16 Runs

IN an all-day match on the S.C.C. ground yesterday a powerful S.C.C. XI completely outplayed the Shanghai Race Club in their annual fixture, winning as they pleased by the overwhelming margin of an innings and seven runs. The Race Club players with one exception failed completely when batting in both innings, many of their members being retired through bad stroke-play, while few of them showed any confidence against a varied attack. There seemed nothing wrong with the wicket and while a sharp shower during lunch might have helped the bowlers a little it did not appear to do so.

The visitors, in their first innings were all out in under an hour and a quarter for 56, in reply to which the Club rattled up 189 at a fast pace and then declared for the loss of six wickets. 133 behind, the Race Club failed again in their second attempt and though Orr and Tingle promised to avert the follow-on Leach came on at the right time and put a stop to any such ideas by capturing the wickets of these two bats in quick time to retire the side for 126.

Play at times was definitely dull but on the other hand there were interesting periods. Leach, during the day, sent down only 6.4 overs but he captured six wickets for a mere 16 runs. The Club fielding was good all round but the Race Club's could have been better.

The Race Club began their knock at 11.13 a.m., Pote-Hunt and Dunkley facing the deliveries of Pearson and Sherwin. The very first over proved disastrous to the batsmen, Pote-Hunt being caught at point by Marshall off the second ball sent down by Pearson for a "blob." Brown, who replaced him, quickly got off the mark but Dunkley, from the first ball he received, had his stumps disturbed, apparently pulling the ball onto his wicket. Thus in five balls two good wickets were down and only one run had been scored.

Poor Stroke

Brown did not stay very long for at 10 he made a poor stroke at a ball from Sherwin that appeared to be on the leg stump. The delivery, however, hit the batsman's foot and then removed the bails. Thorne then joined Divecha and this pair was responsible for the only bright interlude of the Race Club's innings. Thorne quickly settled down and soon was reaching the tapes with well timed hits most of which were to the leg. Divecha, content to keep his end going, scored an occasional single but to his more forceful partner he left the task of amassing runs.

After Thorne had been rather hard on Sherwin, Graham took over this bowler's duties from the pavilion end and in his first over sent back Thorne, Deane making a fine catch at first slip to dismiss him. Thorne was nearly out from the previous ball in the same fashion, but the fielder failed to gather the snick. Graham, swinging the ball well, completely upset the batsman and Thorne's dismissal was the signal for a rot to set in, a rot that was stopped only by the termination of the innings. Actually Thorne's dismissal was possibly a piece of excellent luck for the Cricket Club for he seemed to be batting very soundly and quite attractively.

Held by Wicketkeeper

At 43 Ollerdessen was snapped up behind the sticks by Sinclair off Leach while one run later Elliot nicked one from Graham when attempting a big hit to be held by the wicketkeeper. In the next over Leach absolutely ruined any chance that the visitors might have had by taking three wickets in the eight balls.

At 47 Orr made a wretched stroke to be caught by Sherwin at second slip, while one ball later White tried to knock Leach out of the ground only to see his stumps shattered. The third delivery Tingle placed to the boundary. The next he played back and the fifth he was back in the pavilion, Marshall making a nice catch at point taking the ball when overbalancing and falling to the ground, 51-9. Meanwhile Divecha had batted patiently since he reached the crease and though he took exactly 58 minutes to score ten he never once looked in difficulties. It was a pity nobody could stay with him.

Leach Outstanding

The innings came to a close at 56 when Graham held Arnhold off Marshall from a skier, the innings taking only 74 minutes to complete, Divecha being at the crease 70 minutes for an undefeated 13. All the bowlers returned good analyses with Leach's four victims for a mere ten runs being outstanding.

The hosts batted for eleven minutes before the luncheon interval during which they scord 12 without loss. Upon the resumption some two hours later Divecha penetrated Deane's defence in his first over, the first wicket falling at 19.

Watkin-Williams and Webb then went after runs in quick fashion and fifty were on the board in 35 minutes, both players scoring equally as fast. At 56, however, the former was smartly stumped by Dunkley for a very quick 30 which included one six and three boundaries. F.E.T. Marshall then joined Webb and the rate of scoring increased rather than decreased and some enjoyable cricket was seen for some forty minutes during which they were associated.

Bowlers Hammered

They hammered all the bowlers opposed to them without mercy and after they had added 77 in forty minutes Marshall, obviously not prepared for a delivery from Tingle, stepped across and caught the ball with his gloved hand and returned it to the bowler. The batsman was adjudged out "handled the ball" under rule 39 upon appeal and Marshall left with 30 to his credit with the board standing at 131. Graham did not stay long being bowled at 136 by Tingle, while Webb was held at 143 for an excellent 58 which included one huge six and seven fours.

Scoring at over two a minute Pearson and Sinclair treated the spectators to some fine cricket in the last quarter of an hour of the knock when they banged the attack all over the field, Tingle especially coming in for heavy punishment, 22 being taken from his final over. When the total reached 189 for six wickets, Leach declared and left his opponents 160 minutes in which to save an innings defeat.

Back for a "Duck"

Jackie Pote-Hunt had the unenviable distinction of bagging a "pair" for in the second innings he was sent back for a "duck." Brown was quickly retired while Dunkley, after promising well was retired at 24 for a fine 19. Thorne was stumped at 36 while at the same total Ollerdessen was clean-bowled by the first ball he received from Deane. Divecha was run out at 56 after a silly call and 13 runs later G. B. Elliot was sent back via the l.b.w. route. White stayed a few minutes but was caught in the deep at 83. This brought Orr and Tingle together and they produced one of the most exhilarating partnerships of the day. Despite the fact that the Race Club were in a distinctly awkward position Orr and Tingle hit out to such good effect that runs came at almost three a minute, Graham particularly coming in for some drastic punishment. When it seemed most likely that the follow-on would be averted and the hosts forced to bat again, Leach beat Tingle with a leg-spinner at 125 while one run later he repeated the performance with Orr the victim and thus the game closed with the S.C.C. good winners by the substantial margin of an innings and seven runs. Orr had bad luck in not reaching his half-century, being 49 when out. His best hits were six fours and one six.

Shanghai Race Club

First Innings

J. W. Pote-Hunt, c. Marshall, b. Pearson	0
G. S. Dunkley, b. Pearson	0
J. B. Brown, b. Sherwin	5
M. J. Divecha, not out	13
H. V. Thorne c. Deane, b. Graham	21
C. E. Ollerdessen, c. Sinclair, b. Leach	6
G. B. Elliot, c. Sinclair, b. Graham	1
H. E. Orr, c. Sherwin, b. Leach	0
A. A. White, b. Leach	0
W. E. Tingle, b. Marshall, b. Leach	4
C. H. Arnhold, c. Graham, b. Marshall	0
Extras	6
Total	56

Fall of Wickets:—1-0 Pote-Hunt, 2-1 Dunkley, 3-10 Brown, 4-36 Thorne, 5-43 Ollerdessen, 6-44 Elliot, 7-47 Orr, 8-47 White, 9-51 Tingle, 10-56 Arnhold.

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Pearson	4	1	12	2
Sherwin	4	0	10	1
Leach	5	1	10	4
Graham	4	1	15	2
Marshall F.E.T.	0.7	0	3	1

Sherwin bowled one wide.

S.C.C.

A. V. T. Deane, b. Divecha	14
P. Watkin-Williams, st. Dunkley, b. Thorne	30
N. F. Webb, c. Brown, b. Arnhold	58
F. E. T. Marshall, handled the ball	30
A. Graham, b. Tingle	2
C. Sinclair, not out	27
W. Marsay c. Dunkley, b. Tingle	1
T. C. G. Pearson, not out	19
C. S. Sherwin, did not bat	—
D. W. Leach, did not bat	—
A. N. Other, did not bat	—
Extras	2
Total (for six wickets decl.)	189

Fall of Wickets:—1-19 Deane, 2-54 Watkin-Williams, 3-131 Marshall, 4-135 Graham, 5-143 Webb, 6-160 Marsay.

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Elliot	4	0	27	0
Orr	2	0	12	0
Divecha	6	1	31	1
Ollerdessen	4	0	22	0
Thorne	4	0	30	1
Arnhold	3	0	24	1
Tingle	4	0	41	2

Thorne bowled one wide.

Shanghai Race Club

Second Innings

J. W. Pote-Hunt, run out	0
G. S. Dunkley, b. Dean	19
J. B. Brown, c. Leach, b. Webb	1
M. Divecha, run out	16
H. V. Thorne, st. Sinclair, b. Deane	9
C. E. Ollerdessen, b. Deane	0
G. B. Elliot, l.b.w. b. Sherwin	11
H. E. Orr, b. Leach	49
A. A. White, c. Pearson, b. Graham	3
W. E. Tingle, b. Leach	6
C. H. Arnhold, not out	1
Extras	11
Total	126

Fall of Wickets:—1-0 Pote-Hunt, 2-17 Brown, 3-24 Dunkley, 4-36 Thorne, 5-36 Ollerdessen, 6-56 Divecha, 7-69 Elliot, 8-83 White, 9-125 Tingle, 10-126 Orr.

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Webb	2	0	5	1
Graham	5	0	40	1
Dean	5	0	20	3
Marsay	3	1	9	0
Marshall F.E.T.	3	0	29	0
Sherwin	2	0	6	1
Pearson	2	0	9	0
Leach	1.4	0	6	2

Marshall bowled one wide.

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Telephone Girls Score 27 Runs

Barbara Gaberman of the Telephones, safe on the first base, as Elsie Betines of the A.S.P. vainly reaches for the ball. The Telephone team won the game with a 27 to 9 score, at Kiaochow park yesterday.

Parsee XI Defeat R.A.M.C.

Ball Dominates Bat All Through Cricket Match; Viccajee Shines

In a friendly cricket encounter on the Parsees' ground yesterday afternoon, a Parsee XI defeated a side drawn from the Royal Army Medical Corps by the good margin of four wickets. This game, which may be the last the Medicals will play in Shanghai in view of their impending departure, was closely fought throughout with the ball always dominating the bat.

The R.A.M.C., batting first could only muster 80 runs before being all out. In reply the hosts passed this score with four wickets in hand. Continuing, however, they eventually reached 110 for the loss of eight wickets.

Against the deliveries of Charna and Viccajee, the medicos were never comfortable, only McDougall and Chandler being able to amass double figures. Even Plumb, who rattled up an undefeated 60 in a similar game against the Parsees a week or so ago failed to get going. Apart from a third wicket stand that produced 27 runs the innings was more or less a procession with Charna and Viccajee sharing the bowling honours. The former, who bowled unchanged throughout the innings, secured four wickets for 30 while the latter in seven overs sent back five victims for only 21.

All the earlier Parsee bats with the exception of J.B. Tata exceeded the double-figure mark and though runs never came at a good speed, the winning hit was made after six wickets had been lost. A.B. Tata then retired in order to permit the tail-enders to have a knock. Six of the ten bats who visited the crease scored at least ten with A.B. Tata top-scorer with 19 retired. Plumb was best of the attackers, his three victims being taken at a trifle over eight runs apiece.

R.A.M.C.

Cpl. Russell, l.b.w. b. Tata	6
Pte. McDougall, l.b.w. b. Charna	14
Pte. Wooff, b. Charna	1
Pte. Gallard, c. H. Karanjia, b. Viccajee	9
Sgt. Plumb, c. K. H. Shroff, b. Viccajee	8
Cpl. Malins, b. Charna	4
Pte. Chandler, b. Viccajee	17
Pte. McFie, c. & b. Charna	7
Pte. Wilkes, b. Viccajee	2
Pte. Love, b. Viccajee	0
Sgt. Goodman, not out	2
Extras	10
Total	80

Fall of Wickets:—1-7 Russell, 2-8 Wooff, 3-35 MacDougall, 4-39 Gallard, 5-47 Malins, 6-47 Plumb, 7-68 Chandler, 8-74 Wilkes, 9-74 Love, 10-80 McFie.

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Charna P. M.	11.4	2	30	4
Tata J. B.	4	0	19	1
Viccajee B. R.	7	1	21	5

Viccajee bowled one no-ball.

Parsee C.C. XI

N. N. Mehta, l.b.w. b. McFie	10
P. M. Charna, b. Plumb	13
J. B. Tata, b. McFie	6
B. R. Viccajee, b. Plumb	17
S. P. Karanjia, b. Plumb	10
A. B. Tata, retired	19
J. S. Kuka, b. Russell	6
H. P. Karanjia, not out	14
S. B. Tata, b. Wooff	6
K. F. Shroff, not out	8
K. H. Shroff, did not bat	—
Extra	1
Total (for eight wkts.)	110

Fall of Wickets:—1-14 P. M. Charna, 2-22 J. Tata, 3-35 Mehta, 4-54 S. Karanjia, 5-59 Viccajee, 6-74 Kuka, 7-83 A. B. Tata, 8-92 S. B. Tata.

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Plumb	10	1	25	3
Gallard	5	0	31	0
McFie	4	1	20	2
Russell	4	0	20	1
Wooff	3	0	13	1

British Empire XI Defeat Counties

London, Aug. 11.

Approximately 10,000 people were present at Lord's yesterday to see a British Empire XI defeat the hitherto unbeaten London Counties by 53 runs in a one-day cricket match for the benefit of the Red Cross Fund.

The two teams were almost of Test strength.

Batting first, the Empire XI knocked up 308 for four before declaring, and then dismissed their opponents for 255 runs.

The only player to reach three figures was L. F. Parslow, of the winning team, who contributed 101 in a flawless innings lasting 160 minutes. His score included seven boundaries.

Denis Compton gave the best all-round performance, knocking up 60 runs for the Empire XI and then taking six wickets for 81 runs.

J.G.W. Davies, of Kent, scored 51 not out for the winners.—Reuter.

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Football Season Begins In Scotland

Few Upsets; Hearts Beat Motherwell 3-2

London, Aug. 11.

Confined to only one senior league called the Southern Scottish Football League, the Scottish football season began yesterday, when eight matches were played.

There were few upsets. The home team, St. Mirren, played off their match against Albion at Ibrox Park, as their own ground is not available for the season.

Results were:—

Airdrieonians 1, Clyde 4
Celtic 2, Hamilton 2
Falkirk 1, Rangers 3
Hibernian 3, Queen's Park 2
Motherwell 2, Hearts 3
Partick 5, Dumbarton 2
St. Mirren 1, Albion 1
Third Lanark 2, Morton 2.—Reuter.

Mize Raises Home Run Total to 32

Fat Freddie Fitzsimmons Heads List of Winning Pitchers in N.L.

New York, Aug. 10.

By clouting out two additional homers during the past week, Johnny Mize of the St. Louis Cardinals brought his home run total to 32 for this season, sufficient to keep him at the lead of four-bagger list, according to the statistics as of yesterday. Jimmy Foxx of the Boston Red Sox who has trailed Mize grimly this season cut down by one homer the lead held by the Cardinals' star. Foxx banged out three home runs to bring his total to 26.

Fat Freddie Fitzsimmons of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who recently pitched his 200th victory, tops the list of winning pitchers in the National League, having won eleven and lost two. Truett Sewell of the Cardinals is second with nine won and two lost.

Newsom on Top

Buck Newsom, pacemaker of the Detroit Tigers' mound staff, heads American League pitchers. His 14 games won and two lost puts him in front of Schoolboy Rowe, who is four games behind. Bob Feller Cleveland Indians' fireball, is third with nineteen won and six lost.

Although his percentage slumped from last week, Ray Radcliff continues to lead American League batting averages. In the National League, Harry Danning, catcher for the Giants, has yet to be headed from the leading position.

Home Runs

Mize	32
Foxx	26
Dimaggio	22
Greenberg	21
York, Johnson, Judnich, Keller	20

Runs

Williams	90
McCosky	87
Greenberg, Gehringer	81
Case, Frey	79

Hits

Cramer	143
McCosky	142
Radcliff, Finney	137
Boudreau	136

Batting

National League

Danning	.334
Rowell	.327
Leiber	.326
McCormick	.322
Nicholson	.321

American League

Radcliff	.353
McCosky	.351
Finney	.348
Appling	.340
Wright, Williams	.333

Pitching

National League

	W.	L.
Fitzsimmons	11	2
Sewell	9	2
Walters	16	7
Turner	9	4
Derringer	16	8

American League

Newsom	14	2
Rowe	10	2
Feller	19	6
Smith	12	4
Milnar	14	7

—United Press.

The Waste Paper Merchants' Association are considering the problem of waste paper collection. One suggestion will probably be that the Paper Controller should advertise in local newspapers the names and addresses of merchants. According to the Secretary of the Association, waste paper is desperately wanted. At the request of the Paper Controller the Association is organising all the counties of England, and is definitely gathering it in, but not, apparently, in sufficient quantities to satisfy the Paper Control. Waste paper is worth £1 a ton or, in the case of the best quality, up to £2 a ton. Householders, individually, have nothing like this quantity and the small amount they could save would be worth nothing to them on sale. Incidentally it is rather puzzling to know why there should be such an urgent demand for such enormous quantities of waste paper.

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Tigers Edge Ahead to Full Game Lead Over Indians

Bees Turn Defeat Into Victory When Home Run with Bases Full Changes Score from 3-0 to 3-4

New York, Aug. 10.

DEL Baker's Detroit Tigers drew their first full breath in more than two weeks of campaigning today when they saw their lead in the white hot American League race stretched to a full game.

It was no great triumph, however, for they merely managed to beat the Chicago White Sox five to two in a short five-inning game called on account of rain, while the second place Cleveland Indians were completely washed out by floods in St. Louis. Lynn "Schoolboy" Rowe took the credit for the game, although the White Sox clubbed him for eight hits, compared to the seven Detroit clouted off Thornton Lee. Cheerless rain-soaked fans got their only thrill of the game when Hank Greenberg drove out a home run in the fifth inning.

The rainstorm forced cancellation of the second scheduled Detroit-Chicago game.

The rampaging New York Yankees went on a wild base-hitting spree to club out a 13-0 win over the Philadelphia Athletics.

Charlie Keller, Joe Gordon, Babe Dahlgren, Bob "Red" Rolfe and Joe DiMaggio each connected for four baggers, to give New York fans a taste of what they once knew as Broadway bombing. Ernie Bonham went the route for the Yankees, putting the Athletics under the blankets with a white washing five-hit performance.

Yanks Get 13 Hits

The Yankees pulled off their blankets and went to town with a thirteen-hit performance, sending two Athletic pitchers to the showers, until Bill Beckman was able to stem the tide.

In the only other American League game of the day the third place Boston Red Sox moved up to within 5½ games of the Indians by white washing the Washington Senators, 3-0.

The Senators out-hit Boston nine safeties to five, but the Red Sox bunched theirs in the third inning for the tallies that win games. An error by Cecil Travis, a free pass to first base for Jimmy Foxx, a double by Jimmy Tabor and a beautiful single by Lou Finney sent three runs scampering across the platter.

The double header between Cleveland and St. Louis was postponed by rain.

Reds Lengthen Lead

The Cincinnati Reds stretched their lead in the National League to 5½ games with a smashing 5-0 triumph over the St. Louis Cardinals, while the second place Brooklyn Dodgers were dropping a heart breaker to the Boston Bees, 4-3.

Brooklyn had the game in the bag, 3-0, until a cyclone in the form of young Chet Ross came up to the plate in the sixth inning. With the bases full, Ross came through with a four bagger, which sent Leo Durocher's club out of the running. That mighty four-run blow took all the heart out of the Dodgers, although they had an advantage in the hitting, 11 blows to 8.

Pennant-Bound

The Reds went about their chores today with the business like atmosphere of any club bound for the pennant and easily disposed of the Cardinals, 5-0. Frank McCormick hit his 15th home run of the year in the second inning, for the only real show of the day.

It was just another game for Lloyd Moore of the Cincinnati hurling staff. He not only white washed the Cardinals, but held them to four measly blows. The Reds Jumped on Bob Bowman and Carl Doyle for nine hits.

The Chicago Cubs moved back into fourth place over the Pittsburgh Pirates by trimming Pittsburgh, 1-0, in a bitter pitchers' duel. Dominick Dallesander, Cub outfielder, won the game in the fourth inning when he tripled and then came home on a long sacrifice fly by Al Todd, Chicago catcher.

Giants Lucky

Vern Olsen went the route for Chicago, holding Pittsburgh to seven hits, while his mates were collecting eight blows off three Pittsburgh hurdlers.

The New York Giants also had a close shave, pulling one out of the fire against the Philadelphia Phillies, 1-0. Harry Gumbert was the Giant who broke up this ball game. Gumbert landed on second base with the sweetest blow of the day, advanced to third on a sacrifice by Surgess Whitehead and aced across the platter with the only and winning run of the day, when Joe Moore poled a fly into deep outfield.

Harry also took the credit on the mound, holding the Phillies to five hits, while Silas Johnson and L. Brown split the dubious honour of having held the Giants to five hits between them.—United Press.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	5	7	1
Chicago	2	8	1

(Game called in fifth due to rain)
Batteries: Rowe, Tebbetts; Lee, Tresh.

Boston	3	5	1
Washington	0	9	3

Batteries: Johnson, Wilson, Foxx; Chase, Masterson, Ferrell.

Philadelphia	0	5	0
New York	13	13	1

Batteries: Potter, Dean, Beckman, Hayes; Bonham, Dickey.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn	3	11	0
Boston	4	8	2

Batteries: Grissom, Hamlin, Phelps; Salvo, Berres.

St. Louis	0	4	2
Cincinnati	5	9	0

Batteries: Bowman, Doyle, Padgett; Moore, Lombardi.

Chicago	1	8	0
Pittsburgh	0	7	0

Batteries: Olsen, Todd; Klinger, Brown, Davis, Lopez.

New York	1	5	1
Philadelphia	0	5	1

Batteries: Gumbert, Danning; Si Johnson, Brown, Warren.

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	64	42	.604
Cleveland	63	43	.594
Boston	56	50	.528
Chicago	51	50	.505
New York	52	51	.505
Washington	46	59	.438
St. Louis	47	61	.435
Philadelphia	39	63	.382

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati	66	34	.660
Brooklyn	61	41	.596
New York	52	45	.536
Pittsburgh	50	47	.515
Chicago	54	52	.509
St. Louis	47	52	.475
Boston	37	60	.381
Philadelphia	32	66	.330

—United Press.

Dearth of Good Nicknames

Colourful Boxing Names Plentiful in Old Days; Contrast Pointed Out

San Francisco, July 8.

Boxing apart from suffering with a country-wide case of the doldrums, is fast losing its grip on what was once practically a monopoly—nicknames, says the Portland "Oregonian."

The wrestlers have moved into this field with a vengeance. Press agents grind out fancy appelations for bone crushers before they have finished their dress rehearsals.

Meanwhile the rockem-and-sockem sport, once popularly known as the manly art of self-defence, is backsliding in this important adjunct to its livelihood.

Research reveals there are fewer fighters with nifty nicknames today than at any time in the history of boxing.

This startling disclosure, of course, will not halt the wheels of progress or affect the cocoanut market in Pago Pago but the fact remains that the majority of our present boxers are content to prance strictly under their Christian names. Something should be done about it.

Market Diminishes

Today's diminishing list includes such as Joe Louis, the Brown Bomber; Tony Galento, the Jersey Beer Barrell, which sprung a leak against Max Baer July 2; Lou Nova, the California Adonis; Fearless Fred Apostoli, the Battling Bellhop (that's a dandy); Harry Balsamo, the Belting Brakeman; Hammerin' Henry Armstrong; Hostile Al Hostak; Stanley Bagrato, the Socking Syrian; Six Second Powell; Lou Ambers, the Herkimer Hurricane; Hobo Williams, and the aforementioned Max Baer.

Baer is doing a noble job in efforts to uphold the honour of the profession. Until a better candidate is produced he enjoys the distinction of being the most nicknamed fighter. The big ex-champion owns these outright: Livermore Lip, Livermore Butcher Boy, Livermore Lothario, California Bear, Butterfly Boy and Magnificent Max.

Baer's Record Tops

Fighters of yesteryear are unable to touch Baer's record, but they had some daisy-cutters, and there were more of them. The mighty John L. Sullivan strutted his stuff as the Boston Strong Boy.

There were Jack Dempsey, the Nonpareil, and Jack Dempsey, the Manassa Mauler who at the age of 45 has begun to pick on wrestlers. Charlie McCarthy of 50 years back was not a dummy and was known as the Young Nonpareil.

In the '90s also were "Professors" Peter Jackson of Australia and George Godfrey of Boston, both Negroes. Ike Weir was known as the Belfast Spider, a nickname Jimmy McLarnin inherited some 35 years later. Frank Herald, "the Nicetown Crasher" fought Sullivan and Jake Kilrain among others. Patsy Cardiff was "the Peoria Giant"; Tomy Lynch, the Irish Giant and Jim Coffey, the Dublin Giant.

"Soakum Yoakum"

Billy Farman answered to the Sydney Blacksmith, the Tipton Slasher was a favourite and the Unknown of Brooklyn hit the deck frequently. Sam Fitzpatrick was called the Australian Comet and Frank Glover turned up the Chicago Stockyards Kid.

Ad Wolgast was the Michigan Wildcat, Stanley Ketchell, the Michigan Assassin, and Leo Lomski, later, the Aberdeen Assassin. Jim Corbett, Gene Tunney and Gene Delmont were referred to as "gentlemen."

Soakum Yoakum will do and the Harlem Coffee Cooler is better. Jeff Clark had a stranglehold on "the Joplin Ghost" long before Horton Smith, the golfer, came along. Joe Walcott was the Barbadoes Demon and Sam Langford, the Boston Tar Baby. As the Brown Panther, Harry Wills haunted our present Jack Dempsey.

Firpo "Pampas Bull"

Luis Angel Firpo as the Bull of the Pampas, Young Stribling as King of the Canebrakes, Harry Greb, the Pittsburgh Windmill, and Ruby Goldstein, the Jewel of the Ghetto, were good ones.

Canvasback Cohen was in a class by himself in Los Angeles. Around San Francisco, but not fighting, are Roly Poly Phat Willie Meehan, Roughhouse McDonald, Southside Jack O'Brien and Northside Jack O'Brien.

Each fighting era counted its nicknames by the hundreds. Our present crop is slipping badly.

Patty Berg Considers Turning Professional

Famous Woman Golfer May Take Position

Chicago, June 29.

Patty Berg, the erstwhile little "freckle-faced, red-haired school girl" marvel of the links, Saturday considered an offer to become a "business woman golfer."

L. B. Icely, president of a Chicago sporting goods concern, announced that he had been negotiating with the former national women's champion concerning a position "of an educational nature" with his company, and that the Minneapolis star would come to Chicago within a few days to discuss the proposal to turn professional.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

They Know How to Hit Hard

Olga Caldas of A.S.P. team hits a hard one during yesterday's softball game at the Kiaochow park between A.S.P. "B" team and Telephones. The latter won the game by 27 to 9. Photo also shows Vivian Cape, catcher for the Telephones.

Virginian Wins College Golf Championship

Formidable Lead of Foe Gradually Overcome

Manchester, Vt., June 29.

Overcoming a five-hole lead, F. Dixon Brooke, University of Virginia, late Saturday fought his way to a one up win over Harry Havestick, Swarthmore, in the 36-hole final of the national intercollegiate golf championship at Ekwanok Country club.

At the end of the first eighteen Brooke was four down to Haverstick.

Expert with Marbles

Gilbert Lee Ching, Chinese marble shooting champion of the United States.

He lost the first hole of the second round, but came back to win on the last hole.

Square on Ninth

He won the second and fifth holes with pars, the sixth and seventh with birdies and squared the match on the ninth with a bogey when Haverstick cracked.

The seventeenth proved the deciding hole when Haverstick sank a 20-foot putt for a par only to see Brooke score a birdie with a 12-foot putt. They halved the eighteenth with bogey fives.—"Oregonian".

Woman to Race Stock Cars in America

Given "A" Rating After Special Test

The first woman driver to participate in a major automobile race on the Pacific coast was signed recently to pilot a car in Portland's third annual stock car classic.

Virta Warrens, pretty young Portland business woman, turned her official entry blank over to Bobby Rowe, sponsor of the event, indicating that she will compete with some 25 of the coast's well-known race pilots for one of the biggest first spot purses ever offered in the northwest. Although as a spectator the odor of "castor" is not new to Mrs. Warrens, Rowe had her driving technique examined last week under the expert eye of Mel Kenealy, one of the coast's top flight race drivers, before accepting her application. Kenealy gave her an "A" rating, but further tests are in the offing before a definite make of car is assigned her for the event.

Follows Big Cars

Mrs. Warren long has been an enthusiast for automobile racing, following "big" car races for years. When midgets were introduced to Portland fans some five years ago she was one of the first to further their development and she was the registered owner of car No. 23, which carried Jimmy Miller to midget championship in 1937.

"The entrance of Mrs. Warrens into the third annual stock car classic will add a new note to automobile racing in the northwest," Rowe commented. "This is to be a strictly stock car race, over a smooth dustless track, and inasmuch as thousands of the fair sex drive under similar conditions every day we thought they should have representation."

Canidrome Results

1—300 yd. flat.—1, Jacko; 2, Black Mask.
Also ran:—Mei Jen Pa Kiao, Brigand, Mon Amour, Best Candidate.
A head.—Time, 18.43.
Win, $57.60. Forecast 3-6 Div. $203.10.
Place, 1st $16.30; 2nd $11.30.

2—360 yd. flat.—1, El Caballero; 2, Dusty Lad.
Also ran:—Young Talgai, Stolen Quibble, Sans Souci II, Peony.
A head.—Time, 18.41.
Win, $9.20. Forecast 6-4 Div. $40.50.
Place, 1st $7.90; 2nd $10.
Double Event 1/2 3-6 Div. $59.10.

3—440 yd. flat.—1, Fu Adie; 2, Catch Me.
Also ran:—Fairy Spirit, Great Recovery, Fu Aishiun, Royal Rank.
4 lengths.—Time, 26.93.
Win, $22.20. Forecast 4-2 Div. $108.40.
Place, 1st $9.80; 2nd $11.60.
Double Event 2/3 6-4 Div. $24.

4—440 yd. flat.—1, True Patience; 2, Bethony.
1½ length.—Time, 26.56.
Win, $24.10. Forecast 6-5 Div. $103.90.
Place, 1st $12; 2nd $12.
Double Event 3/4 4-6 Div. $57.80.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Shenkoland II; 2, Apollo II.
Also ran:—Talgai Junior, Captain Drew, Fulover, Masqaroon.
1½ length.—Time, 31.23.
Win, $24. Forecast 4-1 Div. $92.10.
Place, 1st $9.90; 2nd $10.60.
Double Event 4/5 6-4 Div. $47.10.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Le Butin; 2, Spermin Lecitin.
Also ran—Mac Queen, Stolen Quest, Grey Vulcan, Rita Dale.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.79.
Win, $19.80. Forecast 2-6 Div. $89.10.
Place, 1st $8.40; 2nd $15.10.
Double Event 5/6 4-2 Div. $25.30.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Brilliance; 2, Jubilee Queen.
Also ran:—Star Boy, Old Coin, Great Regret, Peerless Special.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.40.
Win, $21.70. Forecast 2-4 Div. $235.70.
Place, 1st $12.30; 2nd $20.80.
Double Event 6/7 2-3 Div. $40.80.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Rather Nimble; 2, Maid of Honour.
Also ran:—Great Wall, Esquire, Lady Dale, Lady Whirlwind.
½ length.—Time, 30.54.
Win, $26.30. Forecast 6-2 Div. $139.
Place, 1st $16.70; 2nd $13.10.
Double Event 7/8 2-6 Div. $73.40.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Royal Risk; 2, Funny Business.
Short head.—Time, 30.09.
Win, $15.60. Forecast 6-4 Div. $43.70.
Place, 1st $8.40; 2nd $9.50.
Double Event 8/9 6-6 Div. $51.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Ruddy Sofie; 2, Woodstock Robin.
1½ length.—Time, 30.03.
Win, $8.30. Forecast 4-5 Div. $35.50.
Place, 1st $6.40; 2nd $8.10.
Double Event 9/10 4-4 Div. $13.30.

11—500 yd. flat.—1, Alton Classic; 2, Cordon Orange.
A head.—Time, 29.71.
Win, $26.40. Forecast 1-3 Div. $210.
Place, 1st $16.40; 2nd $12.50.
Double Event 10/11 4-1 Div. $70.90.
Cash Sweep:—1st dog No. 1153; 2nd No. 1714; 3rd No. 1703.
Unplaced:—705, 417, 580.

British Film Stars Doing Their Bit

An all-British picture, with an all-British production personnel, including producer, director, writers and players working without salary, is about to be made in Hollywood as a contribution to the British Relief Fund, states "Variety." Practically every British-born member of the film colony has volunteered.

Robert Stevenson has passed up a job as director of RKO's next Ginger Rogers starrer to produce the benefit picture. He is currently assigning writers to build an original story, purely entertainment, without any symptom of propaganda. It is hoped to raise $1,000,000 for the fund, through KRO distribution.

Idea was worked out at a meeting in the offices of Eric A. Cleugh, H. M. Consul in Los Angeles, attended by most of the prominent Britons in the film industry. It will be carried on by those beyond the age of 31, the current limit under England's army and navy regulations.

In addition to the impending picture, Britons here have been contributing handsomely to the relief of their homeland. Cary Grant has donated $150,000, his entire salary in Metro's 'Philadelphia Story.' A committee working under Dame May Whitty and Boris Karloff is raising $30,000. Charles Laughton has been turning over his radio earnings and Ronald Colman has donated large sums for Red Cross ambulances. Anna Neagle recently made a trailer which netted $100,000 in British theatres, and Gracie Fields and other British players are launcing a tour of Canada to raise $500,000 for the same cause.

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THE Toa K. K. Nagasaki Express Service Liner ss. Shanghai Maru will sail from Wayside Wharf at 9 a.m. today.

THE decline in the value of the Chinese dollar has already made its effects felt in some parts of the Settlement where certain establishments have been asking a higher prices for their goods, for reasons of exchange.

A CHINESE dwelling at 402 Edinburgh Road, in the Chinese-controlled area, had the unpleasant experience of entertaining four Chinese bandits, two of them armed, at 9.40 a.m. yesterday. The miscreants disappeared after taking $300 in notes.

POLICE yesterday were on the lookout for a foreigner, said to be about 40 years of age, slim and approximately five feet six inches in height. The man is suspected of having broken a show window of a tailor shop, owned by Mr. R. C. Fowles, at 154 Nanking Road, and stolen a quantity of clothing.

THERE has been a marked decrease in the number of both foreign and Chinese evacuees arriving here from Hongkong, during the past fortnight. This has been ascribed to the quieter conditions prevailing in the Colony and the possibility of the rigorous measures enforced by its Government being relaxed to some extent. So far the evacuees who came here are mostly people who have relatives resident in Shanghai.

THE Olympic Circus, which was due to have its gala opening on Saturday night, met with insurmountable difficulties following the torrential rain of Wednesday and Thursday, and was unable to keep to this date. Many hundredweight of gravel have had to be put on the ground, which was, at the height of the rain, nearly three feet under water. At least two feet of gravel foundation will be necessary to render the ground usable.

No settlement of the Shanghai Gas Company strike was seen yesterday, the deadlock between the strikers and the administration still prevailing. Hope for an early settlement had at first been expressed by an official of the Company when it was learned that Mr. Yu Ya Ching would again mediate in bringing the dispute to an early end. Gas Company officials are optimistic and believe that the strikers, seeing their demands flatly rejected, will return to work.

A FORMER employee of the Royal Gunpowder Factory, Waltham Abbey, where an explosion took place on January 18, was fined £5 for having a match in his possession when going on duty on January 11. The chairman of Waltham Abbey magistrates, Mr. W.F. Gilham, said that but for the fact that Stocker had been discharged they would have taken an even more severe view. A gateman said he searched Stocker and found a match in the lining of his overcoat. Stocker said the match was there quite accidentally.

SPEAKING at Manchester Mr. Churchill said a million women were needed for Britain's aircraft and munitions factories. Their work would consist of filling shells and cartridges, working lathes and drills, machine-guns, rifles, light tanks and Army trucks. They would also be trained in making balloons and equipment, the building of war planes and uniforms, etc., for the Army. In the last war Mr. Churchill recalled "women did work which was a revelation to us. Without them we should have failed." Now their co-operation should be sought in a nation-wide drive to win the war.

THE crew of the Fleetwood trawler Merisia (291 tons) were all drowned near Ramsay, Isle of Man, when their ship went on the rocks. In spite of efforts by the Ramsey Rocket Brigade, who were lowered down the cliffs, the twelve members of the crew, who had climbed into the rigging were unable to fasten the life-line, and one by one dropped exhausted into the sea. One man clung on to the rigging for eight hours before he too went under. Only two days before the crew had been presented with £100 for saving five Dutchmen from an open boat in the Atlantic, the presentation coming from the owners of the Dutch tanker Sliedrecht to whom the five men belonged.

For four days a father listened to every broadcast from Germany hoping to hear news of his missing son, one of twin brothers who were in the submarine service. The missing twin was Sub-Lieut. Geoffrey Wardle (23) who was presumed dead after the submarine Starfish was sunk in Heligoland Bight. Late at night on Jan. 26th the father Mr. G.C. Wardle of Compton House, Leek, Staffs, had given up all hope. "I switched the radio off and cried" he said. "Then the phone rang and a friend's voice said "Geoffrey's safe". It had been announced by the Hamburg Radio that Sub. Lieut. Wardle was a prisoner in Germany. The announcement that Geoffrey was alive vindicated the faith of his twin brother Gilbert, also serving on a submarine. Home on leave a few days ago Gilbert comforted his father by telling him that he was sure Geoffrey was alive and well. "Don't worry Dad" he said "I am convinced of it. You see Geoff's job as third officer meant that he would be one of the first to use the Davis escape apparatus if it were in working order."

ACCORDING to a member of the Manufacturing Confectioners' Alliance "Sugar-using" traders employ 300,000 people. It may mean 20 to 25 per cent will lose their jobs owing to the further decrease in the sugar ration. The Ministry of Food has announced that the trade shall be rationed to 60 per cent of its normal consumption. Chocolate manufacturers may now find it impossible to maintain their present prices, while mineral water firms have decided to eke out supplies with saccharine. This will "thin" the drink. The brewers are still conferring with the Ministry and it is being borne in mind that any restriction on the sugar content of beer may reduce consumption and seriously effect revenue. Makers of drugs, however, will receive a 100 per cent allocation. The Daily Mail, however, is very optimistic about the new cuts. They state: "Although on the face some of the cuts are drastic, the average consumer will make only a small sacrifice. On the basis that a man, woman or child consumes about 1 lb. of sugar a week indirectly, in various products, the new rationing will mean a reduction of five per cent—not quite an ounce."

SHIPPING NEWS

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai. Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

On account of the present international situation there is considerable interference with movements of ships, especially those from Europe. In cases where it is definitely known that the vessel is not running to schedule the Shanghai arrival date is omitted.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From Liverpool	From Liverpool
H'kusan M 2/7 16/8	Haruna M 12/7 22/8

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From New York	From Seattle
Brageland — 13/8	Satartia 30/7 21/8
Dona A'neta — 19/8	**From Honolulu**
St. Voyager — 21/9	K'kura M 8/8 26/8
Sagoland — 23/9	**From Yokohama**
P Polk 9/8 24/9	H'kusan M 22/8 31/8
From Los Angeles	**From Kobe**
P Harrison 15/7 14/8	P Harrison 10/8 14/8
K'kura M 31/7 26/8	Taiyo M 14/8 17/8
P Coolidge 5/8 27/8	**From Nagasaki**
From San Francisco	N'saki M 13/8 14/8
P Coolidge 9/8 27/8	

CHINA PORTS

From Dairen	
T'tao M	12/8 14/8

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The undermentioned vessels are due to leave Shanghai on the dates indicated.

For Liverpool		**For Manila**	
Kasima M	22/9	P Harrison	15/8
For Bombay and Calcutta		Satartia	24/8
Atago M	6/9	P Coolidge	28/8
For New York		P Polk	25/9
Bardaland	14/8	**For Hongkong**	
P Harrison	15/8	P Harrison	15/8
Yamazuki M	16/8	Kamakura M	27/8
Goyo M	19/8	P Coolidge	28/8
Kyusyu M	20/8	P Polk	25/9
Dona Aniceta	20/8	**For Kobe**	
Tosan M	30/8	Hakusan M	17/8
Steel Voyager	22/9	Taiyo M	21/8
P Polk	25/9	**For Nagasaki**	
For Los Angeles		Shanghai M	12/8
Bardaland	14/8	Nagasaki M	15/8
Brageland	10/9	**For Dairen**	
For San Francisco		Dairen M	13/8
Kamakura M	2/9	Tsingtao M	18/8
		Hoten M	18/8
		Dairen M	21/8
		Tsingtao M	24/8

Vessels Discharging

TANDA. The E. & A. S. S. Co's ss. Tanda from Australia & Ports. This steamer is discharging Cargo at the Old Ningpo Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Old Ningpo Wharf on Saturday, August 17 at 9 a.m. by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognised. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Gedowns to be berne by the Censignees of the Cargo. Pro. Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co. Agents. 14-8

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Name	From	Consignees
Koga M.	Dairen	D.K.K.
Melbourne M.	Singapore	O.S.K.
Kinryo M.	Cwangtao	N.Y.K.
Heian M.	Tsingtao	N.Y.K.
Fooshing	Hsinkong	C.C.T.
Kanre M.	T'lungkong	Hwa Chung
Tawha	T'lungkong	Quen Kee
Meiyi	Hupukow	S.V.O.C.
Chingming M.	Tsungming	T.K.K.
Bonho	Hsinkong	Dong Shing
Nantung M.	Nantung	T.K.K.
Sorat M.	Japan	M.B.K.
Shanghai M.	Japan	T.K.K.
Dairen M.	Dairen	D.K.K.
Taityu	Keelung	T.K.K.
Talien	Tsungming	Wan Woo

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Aquarius	Am.	A.P.L.
Hukuken M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
Steel Trader	Am.	Isthmian
Hakka M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Hanna	Ger.	Carlowitz
Tsengyuan	Chi.	Showa S.
Chekiang M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
Sanwa M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
Asama M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Essi	Pan.	Wallem
Tikugo M.	Jap.	T.K.K.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Luzon	Am.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
Oahu	Am.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
D. de Lagree	Fr.	Gbt.	K.S.D.
Fran. Garnier	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
E. Carlotto	Iti.	Gbt.	1-2 B
Lepanto	Iti.	Gbt.	1-2 B

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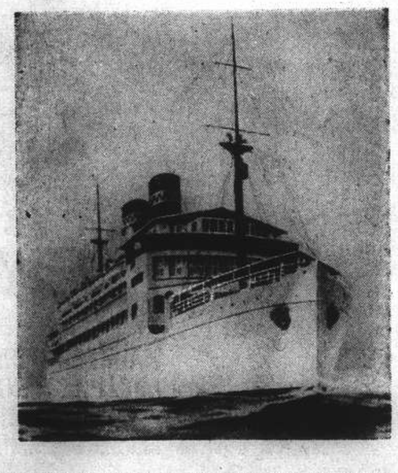

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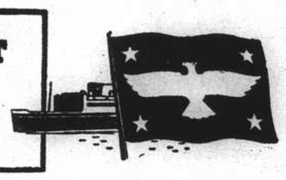

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE

New York Stocks

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, Aug. 10.

There was no rush to buy on the New York Stock Exchange today, and, while demand was very selective, the line of least resistance was upward, with the market finishing around the day's best levels, mostly from fractions to one point up. The lack of pressure recently was the principal inspiration.

Motors were very prominent on sales figures continuing to be very encouraging. Steels ruled firm on mill activity in Pittsburgh next week being estimated at 90.5 per cent. of capacity and in Youngstown at 64 per cent. the drop in the former being due to coming vacations. Coppers held firm, as it is reported that Japan was a persistent buyer of the commodity. Aircrafts and chemicals received support; rails and utilities were idle; and, merchandisings were irregular. Department Store sales for the week ended August 3 were 5 per cent. above a year ago.

Meanwhile, Wall Street is less fearful regarding the Excess Profits tax.

The turnover today totalled 180,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	127.35	126.27	126.99	+0.59
20 Rails	26.39	26.51	26.56	+0.11
15 Utilit.	22.81	22.56	22.60	+0.05
40 Bonds	——	——	93.12	+0.01

Aug. 9	10		Aug. 9	10
Adams Exp 5½	5½	Libbey O F	*39	39½
Aleg Lud 21½	21½	Lockheed	25½	26
Ailis Chal 23	23	Loew's	28	*28½
Alum Ld *86	*86	Lott Inc	21½	22½
Amer Can 95½	95	Mack Trks	22	23
Am Cyan B 32½	32½	Martin	30½	31
Am For In *11	*11	McK & R	21¼	21½
„ 6% pfd 14½	*14½	Mont Ward	41	41½
Am Loco 12½	*12½	Mountain	2½	*2½
Am Metal 14½	14½	Nat Avian	9½	10
Am Radtr 6½	6½	Nat City B	*23½	*23½
Am R Mill 10½	10½	Nat Dairy	13½	13½
Am Smltg 35½	35½	Nat Dist	20½	20½
Am Stg R 13½	*13½	Nat Lead	15½	16½
Am T & T 162½	162½	Nat P & L	7½	*7½
Am Tob B *68	70½	Nat Sup	5½	5½
Am Wtwrks 9½	9	N Y Cent	11½	12
Anaconda 19½	20	Niag Hud	4½	*4½
Atchison 16	16	N A Avian	15½	16
Avian Cpn 4½	4½	N Am Co	19½	*19½
Bald Loco 15½	15½	N Pac	6½	6½
Balt & O 3½	3½	O I Glass	54	53½
Barber *29½	*29½	Pac G & E	29½	29½
Barns Oil 8	8	Packard	3½	3½
Bendix 30½	30½	Pan A Air	13½	13½
Beth Steel 73½	73½	Paramount	5½	5½
Bliss 13½	13½	Penn R R	20	20
Boeing 14½	14½	P & R Coal	0½	*0½
Borg War 16½	17	PPhil Pet	33	*33
Briggs Mfg 19½	20½	P S of N J	36½	*36½
Budd Mfg 3½	3½	Pullman	19½	19½
Can Pac 3	3	Pure Oil	7½	7½
Case J I *50	52½	Radio	4½	4½
Celanese 29½	29½	Reading	12½	*12½
Chase N B *29½	*29½	Rem Arms	*4½	*5
Ches & O 37½	38	Rep Avian	4½	4½
Chrysler 73¾	74½	Rep Steel	17½	17½
Col G & E 5½	5½	Rev C & B	9	8½
Com Credit 31½	31½	Rey Tob B	34	33½
Com & Sth 1½	1½	Safeway	43½	44
Cons Edis 28½	28½	Schenley	10½	10
Cons Oil 6½	6½	Sears Roeb	76½	77½
Cont Can 39½	39½	Shell U Oil	8½	*8½
Cont Oil 17½	*17½	Soc Vac	8½	8½
Copld St 18½	18½	Sthrn Pac	8½	8½
Curtis Wr 7½	7½	Sthrn Rly	18½	*18½
„ A 25½	25½	Spicer	*26½	27½
Deere 14½	15½	Std Brands	6½	6½
Dist Cpn S 16½	16½	Std Oil C	18½	18½
Douglas 70½	71	Std G & E	1½	1½
Du Pont 163½	164	Std Oil N J	33½	33½
E P Lead *7½	*7½	Stone & W	2½	*7½
Eaton *31½	31½	Studebaker	7½	7½
Elec A Lite 35½	35½	Swift Int	17½	17½
Elec B & S 5½	5½	Technicor	9½	*9½
„ $5 pfd *63	*63	Tex Cpn	36½	36½
„ $6 pfd 71	71	Tex Gulf	31½	31½
Elec P & L 34	*33½	Timken	23½	*23½
Flintkote 13½	*13½	Transamer	4½	4½
Gen A Tr *47½	*47½	Tw Cent F	5½	5½
Gen Elec 33½	34½	Un B & P	12½	12½
Gen Motor 47½	48½	Un Carbide	69½	69½
Gen Rly 11½	*11½	Un Pacific	84½	84½
Gen T & R 11½	*11	Un Air	37	37½
Gildden *12½	12½	Un A Line	16½	16½
Goodrich 11½	*11½	Un Cpn	2	1½
„ $5 pfd *49½	*49½	„ $3 pfd	36½	36½
Goodyear 15½	15½	Un Gas	1½	*1½
Gt N T Ore 14½	14½	Un G Imp	12	12
Gt N Rly 23	24	U S Ind Al	*17½	18½
Gt W Sug 20½	20½	U S Rub	18½	19
Grey Cpn 11½	12	„ pfd	83½	*83
Gter Pow *89½	89½	U S Steel	53½	53½
Homestake 40½	40½	Vanadium	*30½	31
Int Nickel 23½	24	Vultee Air	7½	*7½
Int P & P 15½	15½	Walworth	4	4
Int T & T 2½	*2½	War Br Pic	2½	2½
Kennecott 26½	26½	West Elec	100	101½
Lak F & M 3½	*3½	Woodward	25½	*25½

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	45½	45½
Baltimore & Ohio R.R.	29	29½
Brazil (U.S. pf) 8% 1941	14¾	15¼
„ „ „ 6½% 1957	12	12½
Cities Serv. Pwr. & Lt.	*85	85½
Erie 5s 1967	12	11⅞
Int. Tel. & Tel.	30½	30
New England Gas & Elec.	65⅜	*65½
Sthrn. Pacific Co.	40¼	*40¼
Stand. Gas & Elec.	69¾	*69¼

*—Bid. †—Ex. Div.

Dow-Jones Summary

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Stock prices firmed up today on an increased volume with chemicals giving the best performance. A favourable industrial outlook aided steels, although vacations during the coming week in some of the major plants indicate recessions in output. The Defense Programme bolstered construction shares. Bonds ruled firm.

Stocks:—Broader interest was displayed in the market today. International Paper and Power, preferred, acted the best. The Dow-Jones Averages have reached a new top since May. The Times' Index of business activity was placed at 101.5 against 101.7 for last week and 91.7 for the corresponding period last year.

EARNINGS

Stock	Period	1940	1939
Brigg Manufacturing	Qr 30/6	$0.93	$0.55

Cotton:—The net weight provision and basis of ⅛-inch instead of ⅞-inch averages the loan about 25 per cent. higher than last year. This was partly reflected in distants in a quiet market.

Wheat:—The bearish Government estimate failed to arouse outside interest, and a continued narrow market may be probable.

Corn:—The effect of the rather bullish Government estimate was partly offset by relief received and some improvement since August 1, together with good reports on other feed crops.

U.S. Gold Imports Down

Washington, Aug. 11.

United States gold imports for July totalled US$519,974,000, down over US$643,000 from June's total, the Treasury Department announced here yesterday.

Gold exports from the United States during July totalled US$6,491,000, including US$500,000 to the Philippines. —United Press.

Paris Bourse Closed

Paris, Aug. 11.

The Paris Bourse was closed on August 7 after having been re-opened for only six days, it was revealed yesterday. The official explanation said the Bourse was "closed because of the consolidation of the French economic situation."—United Press.

Swiss-Nazi Trade Pact Signed in Berlin

Berne, Aug. 10.

A trade pact between Switzerland and Germany was signed in Berlin last night, it was officially announced here today.

The pact provided a new Swiss-German clearing agreement to replace the old one, it was stated. The pact was considered to have become effective on August 1, and will expire on June 30, 1941.—United Press.

U. S. Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, Aug. 10.

Cotton prices ruled irregular, with bearish crop estimates and general selling unsettling influences, while there was some foreign buying of distants. At the close, quotations ranged from 6 points down to 6 points up from the previous final levels.

Grain prices in Chicago edged off today in profit taking after ruling higher on the revision of the Government wheat crop estimate, while further beneficial rains in the corn belt had a quietening effect. Later, the market recovered partially on weekend covering and the improvement in securities. At the close, wheat prices were unchanged to ⅛ cent down, and corn prices from ⅛ to ⅜ cent down.

New York Cotton		Chicago Wheat	
Oct. (N.C.)			
9.30-30	—06		
Dec. (N.C.)			
9.27-27	—04		
Jan. (N.C.)			
9.17 N	—03	Sept.	73⅞-74 —⅛
Mar. (N.C.)		Dec.	74⅞-75 unc.
9.13-13	+02		
May (N.C.)			
8.94 N	+02		
July (N.C.)			
8.77-77	+06		

Winnipeg Wheat		Chicago Corn	
Oct.	73⅝ A unc.	Dec.	56½-56 —⅜
		Sept.	61-61 —½

The following markets remained closed today: New York Rubber, New York Sugar, New York Silk, London Stock Exchange, British Commodity Markets, London Gold and London Silver.—Reuter.

¥100,000,000 Japan Credits to Manchoukuo

Tokyo, Aug. 10.

The Banks of Japan and Manchoukuo have signed an agreement providing credits of ¥.100,000,000 to the latter, the Finance Ministry announces. The credits are to be used as a "safety valve during seasonal adjustments," according to the Ministry, for a plan has been worked out to stabilize capital relations between Japan and Manchoukuo.—Havas.

Foreign Exchanges

Closing, Aug. 10.

Bombay Rupee T. T. on:

Japan	82⅛	London	1/5⅜
New York	333	2 mths	
Shanghai	221½	„ sellers	1/5⅜
Hongkong	84⅛	„ buyers	1/6⅛
		Japan 2 mths	
		„ buying	84⅜
		„ buyers	77⅛

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	402.50	Bombay	1/6⅛
Madrid	37.70	Hongkong	1/3⅛
Berne	17.20	Singapore	2/4⅛
Belgian C'go	176½	Yokohama	1/2⅝
Shanghai	4d.	„ buying	1/2⅛

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.03	Shanghai	5.48
Spain	9.25 N.	Hungary	19.50
Italy	5.05 N.	Rumania	0.50
S'zerland	22.73	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	23.85	Greece	0.68
Montreal	86.875	Finland	2.05
Brazil	5.10	Manila	49.81
Japan	23.48		
London			3.97½
Buenos Air. Paper,			22.70
„ „ „ market rate			22.60
Montreal on London			4.57½

N—Nominal. †—Quoted.—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London:	Aug. 10.	
Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	1⅛%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1⅛%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2⅛%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3⅛%
Call Money		0⅝%

New York: Closed.—Reuter.

Eastern Provinces of France Ravaged

Factories Left in Ruins, Fires Rage for Days

Clermont-Ferrand, Aug. 9.

France's eastern provinces, which have so often suffered from invasion, have again paid a heavy tribute to war, a correspondent of "Le Petit Parisien" reports after touring the Lorraine region.

Although the capital of Lorraine, Nancy, experienced practically no damage, other areas have suffered heavily, especially the small city of Epinal, on the Moselle River. The town and its neighbourhood were badly ravaged during the heavy fighting which took place on the banks of the Moselle.

Most of the factories of this highly industrialized region, which specialized in the manufacture of textiles, are now heaps of ruins. In many places, fires raged for days and whole sections of Epinal have been entirely destroyed by bombs and fire. In the centre of the city, on both banks of the Moselle, more than two hundred houses have been razed, giving to the whole town an air of desolation.—Havas.

Weekly Rubber Report

Singapore, July 18.

The Singapore market has been quiet but steady; London during the last few days has been experiencing a little more buying interest, while in New York there has been more factory interest in physicals, and an improved speculative demand.

Latest quotations to hand are as follows:—

Spot 36¾ cents, up ⅜ cent.
London 12⅞d., down 7/16d.
New York 21½ U.S.A. cents, up 1¼ U.S.A. cents.

The following are details of American statistics for last month (in tons):—

	June 1940	May 1940	June 1939
Stock on last day of month	168,200	161,400	181,800
Afloat on last day of month	119,100	109,400	51,300
Consumption	46,500	51,600	47,300
Consumption of Reclaimed Rubber	15,800	15,700	14,900

At the Auctions held yesterday there was a fair demand for all grades. Of 787 tons catalogued, 698 tons were offered and 513 tons sold.

The following is the course of values:—

	In Singapore per lb.
Ribbed Smoked Sheet:—	
Standard quality	36½—36⅝
Good average quality	35⅝—36⅜
Fair average quality	33½—35¼
Off quality	30 —33⅛
Sheet Cuttings	30¼—30¾
Crepe:—	
Fine quality Pale	No Sales
Standard and slightly inferior	31½—31⅞
Off-colour Latex	30¾—31⅝
Light Brown and Brown (Clean)	30½—30⅞
Milling Grades:—	
Cupwashing and skimmings	28⅝—30½
Tree Scrap	21 —26¾
Brown and Dark Crepe	26½—30⅜
Bark Crepe (Earth Rubber)	No Sales
Virgin Lump	24⅜—26⅜

Wheelock & Co. Ltd. Yearly Report

The Directors of Wheelock & Co., Ltd. announce that the profit for the year ending March 31, 1940 amounted to $6,235,539.38. Adding the balance brought forward from the previous year of $396,453.44 and deducting the first and second interim Dividends amounting to $1,436,157.00 there remains a balance of $5,195,835.82, which it is proposed to deal with as follows:—

Pay a final Dividend on 259,360 ordinary (old) shares of $5.00 per share	$1,196,800.00
Transfer to General Reserve	2,750,000.00
Subscribe to Voluntary War Contribution Fund (£5,000-0-0 at various rates)	300,000.00
Carry forward	949,035.82

General Meeting of British-Chinese Co.

Sir John Pratt Condemns 1939 As Being Worst Year Ever Experienced

The forty-second ordinary general meeting of The British and Chinese Corporation, Limited, was held, on June 12, at 3 Lombard Street, London.

Sir John Pratt, K.B.E., C.M.G. (chairman), who presided, said that the year 1939 must have claims to being the most unsatisfactory year ever experienced by the Corporation. Not only had there been an almost complete cessation in the servicing of the loans in which the Corporation was interested, but also an unprecedented interference with the rights of the Corporation under its agreements with the Chinese Government.

All the railways in which the Corporation was interested were in Japanese hands, and all were being operated by the Japanese. Their protests against the many contraventions of their rights, made through diplomatic channels to the Japanese Government, had met with no satisfaction. The damage done to the railways in which the Corporation was interested had greatly impaired the security for the loans in which the bondholders had invested their money. The interests of the bondholders had suffered even greater injury from the action of the Japanese military authorities in completely ignoring the rights both of the bondholders and the Corporation under the loan agreements in question. Every opportunity had been taken to protest in the strongest terms against all such infringements of their rights and the Corporation gratefully acknowledged the assistance and support they had received in this matter from the Foreign Office and the representatives of His Majesty's Government in China and Japan. The directors were considering what further steps it was possible for them to take to protect the interests of the bondholders and the legal questions involved, which were of great complexity, were under examination.

The Railway Position

With regard to the actual railways themselves the Peking-Mukden line was being operated, together with certain other railways in North China, by the North China Railway Company—a Japanese-sponsored subsidiary of the North China Development Company. Actual figures as to the earnings of the line were not available, but the loan service instalments had continued to be paid on due dates.

The Shanghai-Nanking Railway and the Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Railway from Shanghai to Hangchow remained under the control of the Japanese during the whole year, and were now administered by the Central China Railway Company, a Sino-Japanese concern formed by the Japanese Government. On the Shanghai-Nanking line passenger and freight traffic had been maintained mostly with Japanese rolling stock and locomotives; the trains ran frequently and were freely patronized, but reliable information as to the earnings was not available. No payments of loan service were made during 1939. The Canton-Kowloon Railway was in a very bad state and had probably suffered worse than any of the railways in which they were interested. A very large sum would be required if it was ever to be restored to its former condition.

An Agreement was signed at Chungking on December 11, 1939, and ratified on March 1, 1940, under which a group of French banks agreed to provide against promissory notes to be issued by the Chinese Government the materials required for a railway from Kunming (Yunnanfu) to Suifu on the Yangtsze. The credits for the railway materials in question were guaranteed by the French Government through the French counterpart of the Export Credits Guarantee Department.

Desire for Agreement

A strong desire was expressed by the Chinese Government and in various other quarters that British interests should participate in the Burma-Yangtsze Railway by entering into a similar agreement with respect to the section running from Kunming (Yunnanfu) to Burma. The matter received the earnest and prolonged consideration of the directors and was the subject of much correspondence and many discussions. It was frankly admitted, however, by the Chinese Government that the capital required for the construction of such a railway could not be raised on a commercial basis.

Eventually, however, it was found that credits extended to the Chinese Government under the Export Credits Guarantee scheme could not be employed for the materials required for the Burma-Yunnan Railway and this, apart from the many other difficulties inherent in this scheme, rendered any immediate participation by the Corporation impossible. The political and commercial advantages to China, and indirectly to the British Empire, of improved communications by road and rail with Burma and the south-west were not in dispute. It was to be hoped that the present check was only temporary and that the Corporation might in the not too distant future find the occasion to co-operate in a project so much in the interests of all concerned.

The Year's Results

The report and accounts which the directors presented for consideration this year were an eloquent testimony to the injury that had been inflicted on them, in common with all other commercial interests in China—not only foreign but Chinese, and they believed Japanese as well—by the conflict that had now been dragging on its dreary course for nearly three years. At the moment this conflict was overshadowed by the greater tragedy that was now being enacted in Europe. It was evident that no improvement in the position of the Corporation could be expected until peace and sanity returned to the world once more.

Turning now to the Corporation's financial it would be readily appreciated that the loans in which they were interested, with one exception, were not being serviced, and their revenue in China might therefore be said to be in abeyance. There was, however, a profit of £1,701 2s. 1d. on the year's operation, but after providing £53,522 15s. 7d. for depreciation on investments, £41,909 6s. for loss in exchange and £12,110 13s. 9d. for loss on sales of investments, there was a debit balance to profit and loss account of £105,841 13s. 3d. Including the debit brought forward there was a total debit balance of £181,868 5s. 9d. In view of the uncertain future the directors had considered it advisable, instead of carrying forward that substantial loss, to transfer to profit and loss account £200,000 out of the £325,000 at credit of general reserve account, leaving £125,000 general reserve and a credit balance of £18,131 14s. 3d. in profit and loss account, which it was proposed to carry forward.

The report was unanimously adopted.

Italians Increase War Penalties

London, Aug. 11.

The Rome wireless says the cabinet has dealt with new war measures, including a proposal to increase penalties for offences arising from war conditions in Libya and East Africa.

The German news agency states the Italian cabinet has also decided upon measures to safeguard the meat supply.—Reuter.

Magnetic Mines Prove Ineffective

Efficiency of Degaussing Apparatus Demonstrated In Unfortunate Manner

London, Aug. 10.

The efficiency of the method of dealing with the magnetic mine known as "degaussing" can only ordinarily be tested by negative results, it is declared. As explained in London yesterday a ship passing safely over one of these "secret weapons" "does not ring true."

There is however, one positive case on record. A neutral ship, which had taken the precaution to fix a "degausser" apparatus, safely accomplished her journey to a British port, but because the quays were full, loading and unloading vessels, the ship had to anchor outside. Her captain, being of an economical turn of mind, ordered the chief engineer to switch off the current circulating in the degausser, because, he said, the voyage was ended and ship was safe. The engineer obeyed his order, but, immediately contact was broken, the ship blew up. In this case it was clear that the degausser had been an effective protection.—Reuter.

Circus to Finally Open Wednesday

Gala Programme to Be Given First Night

Workmen were busy all day yesterday putting the finishing touches to the Olympic Circus and Menagerie, which is due to open on Wednesday night with a special gala opening programme. The circus was almost sold out long before the time set for opening.

Taking everything into consideration, the Circus should not fall short of the standards set here in previous years by similar shows and, in fact it is the only circus of American and Continental standard which has been put on in Shanghai for the past ten years.

Acrobats, clowns and jugglers filled in the greater part of the programme, the animals being exceedingly well trained. The Circus boasts of a fairly large menagerie which included elephants, lions, tigers and other animals.

The Director, F. Isako, is a veteran in the circus business, having had over fifty years experience. He has received commendations from the late King George V and Dr. Sun Yat Sen. The climax of the programme is the "Human Cannonball" act, when, with a deafening explosion, the "Human Cannonball" is projected from the mouth of a cannon loaded with real gunpowder and hurled 60 feet into the air.

It is stated that owing to the present emergency, the circus, which was to have opened on Saturday has postponed its first presentation to the public until August 14.

As a whole, the impression given by the opening programme is quite favourable, and the Olympic Circus should enjoy a good run in Shanghai, especially as, in these days, Circuses come so seldom to this city.

War Affects Japanese In South Seas

Emigrants Having Hard Time, Says Adm. Nomura

Tokyo, Aug. 11.

Due to the fall in the prices of agricultural products following the outbreak of the European war, Japanese emigrants to the South Sea islands have been having a hard time, was the comment made by Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura, former Foreign Minister, in a press interview shortly after his return here from an extended tour through the South Pacific area.

Admiral Nomura arrived in Yokohama yesterday morning aboard the liner Saipan Maru.

"As a director of the South Seas Affairs Association, I visited Japanese workers at Palao, Davao, Menado, Yap and Saipan. The Japanese at Davao are having difficult times because of the recent fall in the price of hemp," he told the reporters.

The Admiral recalled that his arrival at Celebes, a Dutch Island, created a rumour that a Japanese force would land there. Martial law, he added, was proclaimed by the authorities of the island and 500 Chinese were reported to have fled into the hills.—Domei.

Daughter of Prince Konoye Dies

Tokyo, Aug. 11.

Mrs. Atsuko Hosokawa, second daughter of the Premier, Prince Fumimaro Konoye, and wife of Mr. Morisada Hosokawa, who recently became secretary to the Premier, died last night of peritonitis.

The 23-year-old daughter of the Premier had been ill for some time. She died last night at the Hosokawa's Koishikawa home when her condition suddenly became worse. Prince Konoye, Mrs. Hosokawa's husband and daughter, and Marquis and Marchioness Hosokawa were present when death came.—Domei.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Statistical Data Concerning Leading Stocks

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Name of Stock (No par value except where indicated)	Dividends: Annual rate $	Dividends: Date of 1st quarterly payment	Book value	Earnings or Deficits: 5 yr. Average 1936-40	1937	1938	1939	Yield on basis of price in %
Adams Express	0.30†	Irregular	12	—	0.62	0.16	0.29	6
Alleghany Ludlum Steel	1†	Irregular	18	—	2.10	D 1.04	1.49	5
Allis Chalmers	1.25	Irregular	33	—	4.42	1.44	2.09	4
American can	4	Feb. 15	48	6.29	6.08	4.35	6.22	4
Am. and Foreign Power	—	—	—	1.43	D 8.77	D 8.66	D 8.88	nil
Am. and For.P. $7 cum.Pref.	0.70	Irregular	110	23.49	7.11	6.83	6.21	5
Am. Locomotive	—	—	6	4.20	4.75	D 4.90	D 4.45	nil
Am. Radiator	0.30†	Irregular	10	1.84	0.68	D 0.08	0.34	5
Am. Rolling Mill	—	—	28	2.46	2.55	D 1.16	0.69	nil
American Smelting	3	Feb. 28	98	7.27	6.54	3.24	4.36	6
Am. Tel. and Tel.	9	Jan. 15	127	1.30	9.76	8.32	10.18	6
Am. Tob. "B"	5	Mar. 1	24	6.00	5.04	4.80	5.42	7
Am. Waterworks	—	—	10	2.80	1.14	0.38	0.95	nil
Anaconda Copper	1.50†	Mar. 25	59	4.97	3.82	1.10	2.33	7
Atch., Top. & S. Fe	—	—	260	19.16	6.60	0.83	0.94	nil
Auburn Automobiles	—	—	3	9.72	D 15.90	D 1.73	—	nil
Baldwin Locomotive	—	—	37	—	0.32	D 1.09	0.41	nil
Baltimore and Ohio	0.75†	Irregular	126	11.36	D 1.20	D 6.04	D 1.55	nil
Barber Asphalt	1.00	Irregular	32	—	1.91	D 0.85	1.39	7
Barnsdall Oil	0.70†	Feb. 1	7	—	0.85	1.26	0.76	8
Bethlehem Steel	3.75†	Irregular	122	7.06	7.63	D 0.70	5.75	5
Boeing Airplane	—	—	5	—	0.45	D 0.77	D 4.55	nil
Borg Warner	1.35	Irregular	16	—	3.63	D 0.01	2.43	8
Bklyn. Manh. Tran.	—	—	—	6.78	4.09	D 1.25	D 1.22	nil
Canadian Pacific Rly.	—	—	40	3.11	0.39	D 0.32	D 0.32	nil
Case, J. I.	—	—	152	14.53	13.98	8.39	D 1.87	nil
Chase Nat. Bank	1.40	F.A. 1	32	4.04	2.03	1.96	1.80	6
Chesapeake & Ohio	2.87½	Jan. 1	51	5.67	4.43	2.62	3.49	7
Chrysler	5	Irregular	40	4.69	11.66	4.32	8.47	7
Columbia Gas and Electric	—	—	12	2.08	0.57	0.31	0.46	nil
Commercial Credit	3.75	Mar. 31	29	—	7.10	4.60	4.01	12
Commonwealth & Southern	—	—	5	0.67	0.18	0.08	0.13	nil
Consolidated Edison	2	Mar. 15	45	4.50	2.17	2.09	2.22	7
Consolidated Oil	0.80	Feb. 15	18	—	1.48	0.55	0.55	13
Continental Oil	1	Jan. 30	20	0.64	2.97	1.00	1.35	6
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	2	Mar. 15	21	nil	3.95	3.75	3.29	12
Douglas Aircraft	3	Irregular	21	1.50	1.90	3.76	4.81	4
Dupont de Nemours	10	8†	42	5.17	7.27	3.75	7.66	5
Eagle Picher Lead	10	0.20†	Irregular	14	—	0.40	—	2
Electric Bond & Share	5	—	19	2.15	0.42	0.18	0.24	nil
Elec. Bond & Share $6 Pref.	6	Feb. 1	—	—	7.31	—	—	8
Flintkote	1.00	Irregular	13	—	1.50	1.21	2.11	7
General Electric	1.60	Jan. 25	11	1.81	2.21	0.90	1.43	5
General Motors	3.75	Mar. 12	19	4.83	4.38	2.17	4.06	8
General Railway Signal	—	Irregular	16	7.99	1.58	D 0.85	0.34	nil
Gildden	0.80†	—	23	—	2.62	D 0.29	1.79	7
Goodrich Rubber	—	Irregular	26	2.09	D 2.25	0.14	3.51	8
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	1.25	Irregular	26	5.12	1.95	1.34	3.20	8
Great Northern Ry. Pfd.	—	—	157	9.47	4.04	1.09	3.47	nil
Greyhound	1.45†	Jan. 1	9	D 0.16	1.59	1.43	1.79	12
Int. Nickel	2	Mar. 30	14	3.85	3.31	2.09	2.39	8
Int. Tel. and Tel.	—	—	30	3.45	1.60	1.10	0.76	nil
Kennecott	2.50	Mar. 30	32	3.67	4.60	2.10	3.14	9
Lockheed Aircraft	1	Irregular	9	—	0.21	0.67	4.04	4
Loew's Inc.	2	Mar. 30	56	6.71	8.47	5.65	5.37	8
Montgomery Ward	3.50	Apr. 15	34	2.51	3.41	3.50	4.91	6
Nat. City Bank N.Y.	1†	F.A. 1	27	4.12	2.00	—	2.25	4
Nat. Dairy Products	0.80	Jan. 2	13	3.58	1.53	1.69	1.97	6
National Distillers	2	Feb. 1	22	—	3.86	3.85	3.43	9
Nat. Power and Light	0.60	Mar. 1	22	1.74	1.36	1.28	1.12	8
New York Central	—	—	142	12.63	0.09	D 3.13	0.70	nil
North Am. Aviation	1.50	Irregular	8	—	0.14	0.55	2.08	9
North American Co.	1†	Jan. 2	21	4.47	1.95	1.55	1.84	6
Pacific Gas and Electric	2	Jan. 16	30	2.83	3.71	2.42	2.84	7
Packard Motors	—	—	3	1.11	0.20	D 0.17	0.04	nil
Paramount Pictures	0.15	Irregular	17	—	1.96	0.55	1.08	3
Pennsylvania Railroad	1.50†	Irregular	39	7.01	2.07	0.84	2.43	8
Phillips Petroleum	1	Mar. 1	38	3.69	3.42	2.03	2.21	6
Public Service of N.J.	2.50	Mar. 30	24	3.15	2.61	2.34	2.88	7
Pure Oil	0.25	Irregular	22	1.77	2.15	0.38	1.11	3
Radio Corp.	0.20	Irregular	nil	1.32	0.41	0.30	0.35	4
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	2.30†	Jan. 1	15	3.04	2.82	2.37	2.56	7
Schenley	5	—	23	—	5.04	2.46	2.22	nil
Sears Roebuck	4.25	Mar. 16	47	5.03	5.58	4.18	6.60	8
Socony Vacuum Corp.	0.50†	M.S. 15	22	—	1.82	1.29	1.09	6
Southern Pacific	1.00	—	123	10.19	0.20	D 1.81	1.63	nil
Standard Brands	0.40	Jan. 2	4	1.53	0.73	0.62	0.51	6
Standard Gas & Electric	—	—	—	6.59	D 0.86	D 2.49	D 1.34	nil
Standard Oil of N.J.	1.75*	J.D. 15	49	3.47	5.64	2.86	3.27	6
Texas Gulf Sulphur	2.25	Mar. 15	15	5.21	3.02	1.81	2.94	7
Union Carbide & Carbon	2.20†	Jan. 2	30	3.40	4.51	2.77	3.86	3
Union Pacific Railway	6	Jan. 2	—	17.53	6.15	6.62	6.74	7
United Aircraft	2.75	Irregular	12	—	1.52	2.05	3.53	7
United Airlines	—	—	5	—	0.52	D 0.65	0.21	nil
United Corp.	—	—	—	0.55	0.22	0.07	0.07	nil
United Gas Improvement	1	Mar. 23	11	1.29	1.09	0.99	1.07	8
U.S. Rubber	10	—	24	nil	2.21	0.43	2.91	nil
U.S. Steel	1	Irregular	119	12.90	8.01	D 3.79	1.83	2
Vanadium	1†	Irregular	29	4.59	2.22	0.61	3.25	3
Warner Bros. Pictures	—	—	18	1.84	1.48	0.41	0.36	nil
Westinghouse Elec.	4.25	Feb. 28	71	7.22	7.53	3.58	5.18	4

*Plus extras D Deficit E Est †Dividends are for the latest four

TO-DAY'S WEATHER PROBABILITIES

Cloudy and hot weather with local showers and variable winds around Shantung, over our regions and along the Coast to the South of the Saddles.

	At Cathedral	At Siccawei
Temperature yesterday	min. 78.0 max. 93.0	min. 76.8 max. 87.4
„ same date last year	min. 76.0 max. 90.0	min. 77.0 max. 90.1

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BIRTH

PALFREEMAN.—On August 11, 1940, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Palfreeman, a son, STEPHEN JOHN CREEDON.

DEATH

CRADDOCK.—On August 10, 1940, at 3 Jubilee Court, Shanghai, KATE LOUISE CRADDOCK, aged 75 years, widow of the late Arthur Kift Craddock. The funeral (cremation) service will be held in the Bubbling Well Cemetery Chapel on Tuesday, August 13, at 5 p.m.

To-day's Events

AUGUST

12 *Anglo-French war with China began (1860)*
12 *S.V.C. mobilized, Whangpoo blocked (1937)*
12 *NCDN broadcast 12.45 and 9 p.m. over XMHD 760kc, 395m.*

Coming Events

AUGUST

15 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
22 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
23 Cradle Bridge/mahjongg, S.I.B. 3
29 Rotary Club, Metropol Hotel, 12.15
31 Annual swimming Gala, Rowing Club

BRITISH MILITARY HEADQUARTERS

Tifeng Road, Shanghai

NOTICE

1.—Notice is hereby given that all official bills and accounts against the British Military Forces in Shanghai should be referred without delay to the Officer-in-Charge of the relevant accounts for settlement.

2.—This notice applies only to official Regimental and War Department accounts.

3.—It must be clearly understood that the War Department can accept no responsibility whatever for the private liabilities of officers and men of the British Forces. The collection of such outstanding accounts is the responsibility of creditors.

4.—If it is not possible for any account to be rendered within one week, it should be despatched, together with full details of the designation of the accounting officer, to the Command Paymaster, Hongkong.

Shanghai, August 9, 1940. 10693

THE PADANG RUBBER CO., LTD.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Members will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 20 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, August 20, 1940, at 11.45 a.m., when the SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS as set out in the notice sent to Members will be submitted for approval.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. R. BURKILL & SONS, LTD., *General Managers.*

Shanghai, July 22, 1940. 10409

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Thirtieth Annual General Meeting of Members will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 20 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, August 20, 1940, at 11.55 a.m., to receive the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the Financial Year ended April 30, 1940, to declare a Dividend, to elect a Director, to elect Auditors and to transact other ordinary business.

The Transfer Books and Share Register of the Company will be closed from August 14 to August 20, 1940, both days inclusive.

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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bonded Delivery Order No. P.8603 issued by the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V. on October 1, 1938, covering N/M 10 bdles. galvanised plain sheets ex m.s. "Tjisadane" Voyage 60 from Manila arrived 13/6/38 is declared null & void. 10686

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship damaged and broken cargo only ex the above vessel will be held at the Jardine's Pootung Wharf on August 12, 1940 Monday at 9 a.m. by Messrs Paulsen and Bayes-Davy, Marine and Cargo Surveyors.

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Meteorological Reports	Aug. 10 16.00	Aug. 10 21.00	Aug. 11 4.00	Aug. 11 9.00
Barometer inches	29.67	29.72	29.71	29.80
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	—0.06	—0.01	+0.16	+0.10
at 32 F. („ „ 12 hrs.)	+0.02	+0.02	+0.04	+0.08
Wind (direction)	SW/W	Calm	NE/N	NE
„ (miles per hour)	13.1	0.0	11.2	7.4
Temperature (Fahr.)	91.°4	83.°1	79.°3	83.°3
Humidity %	64	83	98	77
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	8	9	8	10
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report Aug. 10	Mean 1940	24 hrs. variation	67 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.69	—0.07	29.67
Temp. Min. 77.°0 Max. 95.°5	86.°3	+2.°5	85.°3
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	23.84	—	29.28

Time and Tide	12/8	13/8	14/8	15/8	16/8	17/8	18/8
Sun rises at Shanghai	5.16	5.17	5.18	5.19	5.19	5.20	5.20
Sun sets at Shanghai	18.40	18.39	18.38	18.37	18.36	18.35	18.34
Moon rises at Shanghai	14.00	14.57	15.48	16.35	17.18	17.57	18.34
Moon sets at Shanghai	0.01	0.52	1.45	2.40	3.35	4.31	5.25
Flood makes Shai, 6 to 18	16.25	17.44	7.05	8.18	9.07	9.42	10.15
Ebb, makes Shai, 6 to 18	9.00	10.20	12.34	13.25	14.18	14.55	15.30
H. W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18	6.07	7.53	9.21	10.20	11.02	11.37	12.07
Ht. above LLW. (feet)	7.08	6.40	7.20	8.13	9.10	—	11.65

THE WEATHER

(See top left)

State on the morning of the 10th:—Normal and rather steady pressure over China and Japan. Variable winds along the China Coast. Cloudy and hot weather with local showers.

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* The night before

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